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POINCARE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF FRANCE

DR. TISDALE HANS AFTER INAUGURAL RESIGNS PLACE MARITAL BRUTES BALL TO BE PRIM

'Too Much Pulling and Hauling of Late,' Declares Secretary of Board

'Have Been Handed Lot of Things Which Were Not True,' He Adds

ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—Dr. C. L. Tisdale, secretary of the State Board of Medical Examiners, confirms this afternoon a story from Sacramento that he had tendered his resignation to Governor Johnson. In explaining his action, Dr. Tisdale said:

"There has been so much pulling and hauling of late, so many things that were unpleasant, coupled with the fact that there is to be a complete reorganization of the State Medical Board in the near future, that I felt impelled to place my resignation in the Governor's hands."

"As a matter of fact, my term expired two years ago. My last appointment was from Governor Gillett, and my commission ran to two years. Since that time I have been serving from month to month, until my successor would be appointed. I hold no commission under Governor Johnson."

WILL BE CHANGE.

"I have been handed a lot of things which were not true, and, taking everything into consideration, I decided to resign. My resignation is subject to the convenience of the Governor."

"I believe the entire board will be reorganized and entirely changed about within a few weeks. There are some fifteen bills now pending before the Legislature effecting changes in the State board. The whole thing is up in the air, and I decided the best thing to do was to get out."

"Dr. Tisdale has been secretary of the board for about ten years."

PRESENT STORM MAY BE OVER IN ANOTHER DAY High Water Reported From Two Sections of California

OAKLAND RAINFALL
(Sanborn Gauge)

	Inches
Last 24 hours	.20
Season to Date	8.75
Corresponding period last year	4.86

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The storm which has brought such a blessing to California in the shape of needed rainfall is slowly passing away and unless another storm appears the next twenty-four hours will see the last of the present downpour.

The weather is moderating slowly

Jack Johnson to Fight Palzer in Paris June 25

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Jack Johnson has agreed to fight Al Palzer in Paris for the world's championship on the night of June 25, the eve of the Grand Prix races. Tom O'Rourke, Palzer's manager, announced today the receipt of a telegram from Johnson in Chicago, accepting the terms offered by R. Lippe in Paris, arranging the match. The terms give the winner \$50 per cent of the gate receipts, with a guaranty of \$30,000. Johnson's telegram follows:

"Terms satisfactory. We will make arrangements when I see you in regard to pictures and transportation. Wire Lippe O. K. Thanks."

Fingers Burn Off; Save Man From Electrocution

SANTA ANA, Cal., Jan. 17.—The fact that his fingers were burned off when he grasped a live wire probably saved the life of A. L. Cotant last night. Cotant was released from the wire when the fingers, which communicated the current to his body, dropped to the ground.

Alameda County Senator Would Make Wife-Beating Dangerous in State

Convicted Brute Would Not Be Allowed to Wed Again

(Special Correspondence of THE TRIBUNE.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—Wife beaters may be driven out of the state forever if the suggestion made by Fruitvale women and put in the form of a Senate bill by Senator George J. Huns of Fruitvale is approved by the legislature. The bill, which Huns introduced yesterday, absolutely bars men who have been divorced for wife beating from marrying again in California, and by requiring their names to be entered in a public register practically makes them outcasts in society.

Senator Huns' bill provides that in every action for divorce, wherein is proven that the husband repeatedly struck and whipped the wife, the court in issuing the decree shall also make an order designating the divorced spouse to be a wife-beater and that he has forfeited all right to marry again in the state of California. No marriage license, therefore, shall be issued to any man designated as a wife-beater.

Such restrictions are placed upon the wife-beater, which prohibits a man carrying this stigma to even illegally cohabit, live with or carry on any conjugal relations without facing an offense of felony.

The clerk of the court must keep a record of men so blacklisted from the marital bonds to be known as the "register of wife-beaters." All of the testimony affecting this blacklist must be sent to every county clerk in the state. It will be the duty of the county clerk to keep this record available for public information and the record must be consulted before issuing a marriage license to determine if the would-be benedict has a wife-beater.

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Should It Be Held---and Perhaps It Will Not---Ragging Will Be Barred

President-Elect Wilson Would Call Affair Off and Eustis Is Willing

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Should there be an inaugural ball, despite President-elect Wilson's wish to the contrary, there may be no turkey trotting, lunny hugging nor grizzly bearing, if it is held in the pension building.

Representative Rodenberry offered today an amendment to the resolution authorizing the use of the office which is worded as follows:

"That the grant of the use of the pension building for the inaugural ball is expressly upon the condition and with the limitation that for the prevention of acts of public indecency the following so-called dances are absolutely barred and prohibited:

"Grizzly bear gyrations; the bunny hug; the tenderloin movements; the turkey trot contortions and all like vulgarisms of the hoodichie-kootchie dances and all similar forms of gymnastic convulsive movements, suggestive of the degenerate revolvers of the segregated districts."

AWAIT HIS WISHES.

Finally, it was decided to learn more of President-elect Wilson's wishes and the committee will wait until next week before taking formal action.

"There will be no inaugural ball," declared William Eustis, chairman of the committee.

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Mitze, Oaks' Captain, Nearing Pennantville

Leader of Champions Confabs With Enemy in the South.

Carl (Honus) Mitze, manager of the Oakland baseball team, has been heard from. He arrived in Los Angeles yesterday and intends to stay there several days before coming north to assume his official duties. Mitze was due here last Wednesday and officials of the club were a bit anxious about him until word came today.

Mitze writes that he is in fine shape and will be ready at once to jump into spring training harness. He will chat with Dillon and Hogan while in Los Angeles and learn the latest gossip in the camp of the enemy before coming to this city.

Taft Confers Over Panama Question

Knox, Stimson and Representative From Canal Republic Meet.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Questions at issue between the United States and the Republic of Panama were discussed today at a conference between President, Secretaries Knox and Stimson and Judge Frank Penfield, counsel for the Panama Railroad Co. The Canal Commission wishes to extend the harbor lines in Colon and to be assured by the Panama government that no franchise for a railway into the canal zone from the north will be granted by the republic. In return the Panama government has asked for certain small concessions. No decision was reached.

Six Killed During Big Fire in Edmonton

Brick Wall Falls, Crushing Laborers as They Sleep in a Nearby Building.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 17.—Fire today destroyed a five-story brick block in Edmonton, Alberta, with a loss of \$200,000. Six Italian laborers were killed when a wall of the building crashed a small rooming-house where they were sleeping.

CLEMENCEAU INSULTS FRENCH PREMIER; DUEL IS PREVENTED BY "EXPLANATION"

RAYMOND POINCARE (LEFT), ELECTED PRESIDENT OF FRANCE, AND GEORGE CLEMENCEAU, WHO INSULTED POINCARE, BUT "EXPLAINED" AND AVOIDED DUEL.



BOYS' FOOTBALL PROVES TO BE INFANT

Baby Kicked About in Pasteboard Box; Will Live.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A dozen boys playing football with a pasteboard box in a vacant lot in Brooklyn today sat down to rest after half an hour's play.

"That's a funny-looking box," said one of them.

"Let's see what's inside."

They undid the strings. A four-days-old baby boy, naked and to all appearances dead, rolled to the ground. A policeman took it to a hospital. Half an hour later it was crying lustily.

It will probably live.

Repsold Reported To Be in Two Places

Clews Concerning Escaped Perfumed Burglar Received by Warden.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Two independent clews which may lead to the apprehension of Herbert Repsold, the escaped "perfumed burglar," were received by Warden Tully today. While skeptical over the numerous tips received since the escape of Repsold a week ago tonight, each bit of information is run down with care.

The first new clew came in the form of an anonymous letter saying Repsold was hiding in a house in South San Joaquin street, Stockton. The authorities of that city have been asked to investigate.

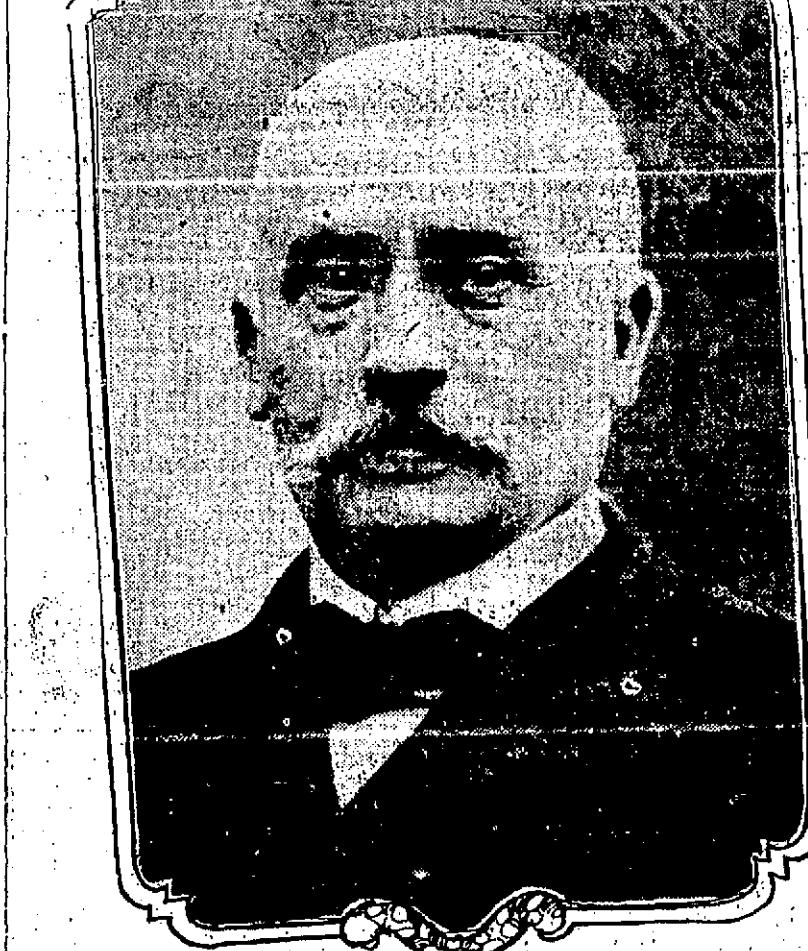
Soon after the receipt of that communication Hoyt received a telephone message from Marshal Dockery of St. Helena, who said that a man answering Repsold's description had been seen on the streets of that city early this morning.

'Social Evil Means End of White Race'

Dr. C. W. Eliot Says Silence or Segregation Are Foolish and Futile.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—"The lasting of the white race is involved in the question of the social evil," said President Emeritus Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University, in an address at the City Club last night.

"We have got to remove this evil," he continued, "or this country will not be ruled by the race that is now here. The family life of the white race is at stake in its purity, healthfulness and fertility. We have tried the policy of silence and the policy of segregation, but there is no cure except the observance by men of the same standards that almost all races demand of their women."



JULES PAMS, A CLOSE RIVAL TO POINCARE FOR THE PRESIDENCY OF FRANCE.

Bill Provides \$250,000 for New Armory in This City

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—Senator Huns of Alameda county today introduced a bill in the upper house providing an appropriation of \$250,000 for an armory at Oakland. Senator Cassidy of San Francisco put in two bills jointly providing for a whipping post for wife beaters.

Six-Foot Fall Out of Window Kills Aged Man

Lewis G. Horton, 74 years of age, fell from a window at the King's Daughter's Home, Broadway and Thirty-ninth street, late yesterday, receiving injuries from which he died two hours later. He had gone to the window, it is supposed, in quest of fresh air. His fall, although only six feet, resulted in the rupturing of the left ventricle of the heart. He was attended by Dr. A. S. Kelly. Horton had been an inmate of the institution for several years. He was a brother of Mrs. James Harris of 2714 Gaber street, Berkeley, and was unmarried. Funeral services will be held tomorrow.

Women Are Barred From Law Practice in England

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Women were excluded from practicing law at the British bar by an overwhelming vote of the Bar Association at its annual meeting held this afternoon. A motion to admit women to membership was favored by some of the younger barristers, but the senior counsel voted in a body against it.

PALACE IS SCENE OF CONTEST

Several Near-Riots Mark the Voting by Senators and Deputies

Jules Pams Is Close Rival to French Premier for High Honor

VERSAILLES, Jan. 17.—Premier Poincaré was elected president of the French Republic by the National Assembly held here today. Poincaré led Jules Pams, his principal opponent, by more than 100 votes on the first ballot and was within six votes of the necessary absolute majority for election. The details of the ballot were as follows:

Raymond Poincaré, 429; Jules Pams, 327; Marie Edouard Vaillant, 31; Paul Deschanel, 18; Felix Auloy, 16; Leon Bourgeois, 4; Alexander Millerand, 3; Alfred Mascuraud, 2; Theophile Del Caste, 2; Antonin Dubost, 1; Henri Rochefort, 1; Blank, 8.

The result of the second ballot was: Raymond Poincaré, 433, (elected); Jules Pams, 296; Marie Edouard Vaillant, 69.

POINCARE INSULTED.

Poincaré was insulted by former Premier, George Clemenceau prior to the election. Poincaré at once appointed Aristide Briand, the minister of justice, and L. Klotz, minister of finance, to act as his seconds and to arrange a duel.

The incident between Poincaré and Clemenceau arose out of a letter sent by the former premier to Poincaré, the contents of which were considered offensive by Poincaré. The premier promptly sent his two seconds to ask for an explanation or a fight.

During the proceedings of the national assembly, Clemenceau made a satisfactory explanation to Briand and Klotz. The incident is therefore considered closed.

SECOND QUARREL.

Deputy A. de Monzie and Paul Boncour, former minister of labor, quarreled in the corridors of the palace of Versailles, as a result of which Monzie sent his seconds to Boncour.

Sensors and deputies of France arrived throughout the forenoon to take part in the election of a new president of the republic. President Fallières' seven-year term will expire February 18.

IN PALACE OF KINGS.

Nominally 897 representatives of the people were entitled to vote today in the national assembly convened in (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

Chinese Bridal Couple Banqueted at Hotel

Wealthy San Leandro Oriental Host to T. Non and Bride.

An Oriental midnight feast was served last night in one of the upper banquet rooms of the Hotel Oakland to a coterie of Wealthy Chinese. The host was G. G. Low of San Leandro, owner of a fruit canning establishment, and rated as one of the wealthiest Chinese in California. The dinner was in honor of T. Mon and his bride, who are traveling from Chicago en route to China. Ernest Lun and wife were among the dozen other guests. Mr. and Mrs. Mon are domiciled temporarily at the hotel.

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Kidney Troubles, Bladder Disorders, Rheumatism and Serious Diseases Follow.

There are other symptoms, such as pains in the region of the kidneys, nervousness, dizziness, tired and worn-out feeling, weak bladder, painful, scaldy, or urinary troubles, which are just as dangerous, for the slightest kidney derangement if neglected may develop into the deadly Bright's Disease, Dropsy or Diabetes.

It is not only dangerous, but needless, for you to suffer, and endure the tortures of these troubles, for the new discovery, Croxone, quickly and surely ends all such misery.

There is no more effective remedy known for the cure of kidney, bladder trouble and rheumatism, than this new scientific preparation, because it removes the cause. It soaks right into the kidneys, through the walls and linings, cleans out the clogged-up pores, neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid and waste matter, the lodge in the joints and muscles, and cause those terrible rheumatic pains, and makes the kidneys filter the poison from the blood and drives it out of the system.

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WILSON NOT IN FAVOR OF BALL

President Asks if Affair Can-not Be Omitted, in Letter.

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The inaugural committee, today, after an informal conference with several members over President-elect Wilson's letter requesting that the committee consider the feasibility of omitting the function.

The wishes of President-elect Wilson will be complied with, said Eustis. The committee will take official action.

WOULD ABOLISH BALL

TRIDENT, N. J., Jan. 17.—President-elect Wilson favors the abolishment of the inaugural ball. This became known yesterday, when he sent a letter to William Corcoran Elliott in Washington, chairman of the inaugural committee, asking him to consider the feasibility of omitting it. Wilson's letter follows:

Mr. Elliott: After taking counsel with a great many persons and canvassing as well as I could the general opinion in the matter, I have come to the conclusion that it is my duty to ask you to consider the feasibility of omitting the inaugural ball altogether.

I do this with a great deal of hesitation, because I do not wish to interfere with settled practices or with reasonable expectations of those who usually go to enjoy the inauguration, but it has come to wear the aspect of a sort of public duty, because of the large indirect expense upon the Government incidental to it, and because these balls have ceased to be necessary to the enjoyment of the visitors.

I hope most sincerely that this request will in no way embarrass you and that I have not too long delayed in making the suggestion.

With cordial regards, Sincerely yours, WOODROW WILSON.

Among several conferences held by Governor Wilson today was one with Senator-elect Eustis of Louisiana, who had been invited by the Governor to talk over various matters, particularly the question of abolishing the Commerce Court. Wilson had no comment to make on the subject after the conference.

That Eustis was in favor of abolishing the Commerce Court or a court of equal jurisdiction.

Only One "Bromo-Quinine" That Cures a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. See.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 17.—The captain and mate of the steamer Auchenard, perched on the propeller twenty feet above the water, refused to leave the vessel today after it had sunk in the mouth of the Mersey as the result of a collision with the British steamer La Blanca. The Auchenard was leaving port when it collided with La Blanca, which was steaming into Liverpool from La Plata. The crash occurred during a thick fog and the Auchenard sank head foremost almost immediately. Although La Blanca was badly crippled it stood by and rescued the crew of the Auchenard and brought them into port.

Only One "Bromo-Quinine" That Cures a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. See.

Los Angeles Monday 2 p.m.
\$2.50 first class, including berth and transfer. \$4.10 second class. \$5.25 third class.
The Large Steamship, GOVERNOR
Sails from Broadway Pier, Monday, Jan. 20, 2 p.m. Tickets apply
Pacific Coast Steamship Co.
Ticket Office, 1224 Broadway.
Phone 041, 2800.

'MOLE OR NOT MOLE?' SOME SAY 'TIS, OTHERS 'TAINT; REV. HORN IS SILENT

MANY WILLING TO IDENTIFY PASTOR

Landlady Declares Richmond Clergyman Is Very Much Abused.

Rumors of Alibis Continue to Be Rumors; Lawyers Sure of Ground.

RICHMOND, Jan. 17.—Richmond is more than ever perturbed over the unprecedented church scandal that has come into her midst almost without warning and the officers and congregation of the First Baptist church are in a tumult of indignation over the disgraceful state of affairs the alleged misconduct of their pastor, the Rev. Frank Horn, of De Tourea, or whatever is his name, has thrust upon them.

The hunted pastor, whose retreat and subsequent discovery in the belfry of the church caused wild commotion here shortly after midnight yesterday morning, has again found a hiding place, and this time, successfully, for as yet his whereabouts are unknown.

The would-be identifiers, whose anxiety to discover if the pastor has a mole on his cheek, the only means of finding out if he is himself or the renegade "twin brother," are doomed to disappointment, and the question still remains: "A mole or not a mole."

SAYS HE'S ABUSED.

"Mr. Horn is a very much abused man," declares Mrs. Pearl Church, at whose home on Nichol avenue, just across the street from the church, the minister resided. It doesn't make any difference what the deacons or the other members of the congregation say. I believe him innocent of all these terrible things that are said about him.

"I know Pastor Horn has a wicked twin brother. He told me about him more than a month ago, and I believe this brother is responsible for all this trouble. Mr. Horn will soon prove that all the charges made against him by Mrs. De Tourea are false. He never married this woman."

Yes, Mr. Horn is still in Richmond, but I don't know where he is and if I did know I would not tell. He has been persecuted beyond the point of endurance and it is time that practical, sensible persons like myself went to his assistance.

PROMISES AFFIDAVIT.

"Before he went into the belfry to escape the vulgar persecution of inquisitive people and newspaper interviewers, he told me he was going to produce an affidavit from his mother as to the existence of his bad twin brother."

As for this woman's claim that he married her, he can produce an alibi. From what I could gather from his confidential talks with me, Mr. Horn was in Nevada at the time Mrs. De Tourea claims to have married him. He has given me his word of honor that he can produce affidavits from persons in Nevada to prove this and I believe him. However, the affidavits from relatives and friends which would clear him of all suspicion, the telegrams from his mother, whose address he could not remember, would be of no avail. And one by one even the staunchest members of his congregation are ceasing to support him. By the majority of them his action in hiding, his flight from the deacons and the identification of former trinkets of Mrs. De Tourea, found in his room, are held as evidence of the pastor's guilt.

ATTORNEYS SATISFIED.

Attorneys C. A. Odell and D. J. Hall, who represent Mr. De Tourea, said yesterday that they had no further interest in Horn. They were convinced that he was the man who was married under the name of De Tourea, before they brought the divorce suit, they said. Odell insisted personally that Horn accept the service of the papers in the case.

"We are satisfied as to his identity," said Attorney Hall. "If he does not put in an answer within the thirty days prescribed by law, we will take a default in the case."

The Rev. Van Dyke Todd of the other Baptist church in Richmond held a long conference with Hall yesterday. The Rev. Mr. Todd says that he is convinced that Horn is De Tourea and that he is a scoundrel.

"I dislike to refer to him even as a man," said the Rev. Mr. Todd. "He has no right whatever in the pulpit. I read published accounts of some of his sermons and was startled to find that they had been lifted word for word from the 'Christian Herald.' He is a bad man."

IDENTIFY CLERGYMAN.

Identification of the clergyman known as Horn in Richmond and as the itinerant preacher who called himself De Tourea, came from many persons in San Francisco and the bay cities yesterday.

Mrs. Mize Metz de Tourea, who started the investigation into the identity of De Tourea when she began her action for divorce, said the clergyman she married in Redwood City in 1910 had a mole on his left cheek near the eye.

The preacher known as De Tourea had such a mole, according to the church people in San Francisco who knew him.

A Wesley Mehl, secretary of the American Bible Association of San Francisco, who has officiated in the Pacific building, said he recognized De Tourea as soon as he saw the published pictures of the Richmond clergyman yesterday.

"I first saw the man who went under the name of De Tourea in September, 1901," said Mehl. "He then came to my office with letters from pastors in Petaluma, and professed to be badly in need of one hundred dollars for work. I dealt with me, but did not succeed."

"De Tourea was a most plausible fellow, and there was nothing about him that would suggest the criminal or the sneak. From the record of his numerous recurrences with women I am satisfied that he is not mentally responsible."

BALKS AT HIS PREACHING.

"He had many acquaintances with women here. Shortly after his arrival he became acquainted with the Rev. J. W. Hill, who conducts the United Evangelical mission at 615 Clay street. Rev. Hill, who is a man of high character, and did not extend him further invitations to address the mission."

REV. FRANK HORN, who is being sued for divorce by Mrs. Eva Mae de Tourea.



was understood at the time that they gave affidavits to the Rev. Hill.

"When De Tourea was asked about this matter he said he could not help it if women ran after him. He intended to marry soon, he said, and it was shortly after the Petaluma women helped him out that he married a San Francisco woman."

"During his financial embarrassment De Tourea came to me one day and told me he was selling an attachment for a cash register. From his description of this article I came to the conclusion that he was peddling a gambling device. I told him so, and expressed the opinion that it was a queer occupation for a clergyman, but he said he was in desperate straits and needed money."

"The device consisted of a dial with a hand that would spin around every time a sale was rung up on the cash register. If it would stop at a certain number the person who made the purchase would be given a prize. I understood from De Tourea that he was selling this machine to saloons and other places."

"I am inclined to believe that De Tourea had a mole on one cheek, but I am not positive about this. He left San Francisco owing the Bible Association a small amount for a Bible."

SITUATION UNCHANGED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Consul Edwards reported to the State Department from Acapulco that there was no change in the situation and that the British cruiser Shearwater would remain in port until conditions became normal or the cruiser Denver arrived from San Diego. The embassy at Mexico City reports an attempt at a revolutionary outbreak in the state of Tlaxcala, but that federal troops have been dispatched.

Cruiser Denver Taking On Coal for Trips to Mexico

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—Work of coaling the cruiser Denver for the run to Acapulco was begun this morning at 8 o'clock from the navy collier Justin. The Justin arrived early from California City, and as the full crew of the Denver was on board, she immediately went along side and coaling was started with a rush. It will take about eight hours to coal, consequently the Denver may leave for the south late this afternoon instead of tomorrow, as was announced last night. All other supplies are on board the Denver and as soon as the ship is cleaned after coaling the cruiser will weigh anchor and leave.

Great Earth Slides Again Delay Work in Big Canal

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Great earth slides have started again in Culabra cut in the Panama canal, according to information received here. One of the slides alone is expected to throw a million yards of earth and rock into the canal unless the steam shovel crews, who are working desperately, succeed in checking it. Another slide at Cucuracha, which was supposed to have halted two years ago, again has begun to move rapidly and the earth sank four feet in 17 minutes on the afternoon of January 2, completely covering two railroad tracks. The engineers anticipated these movements and had allowed for them in their estimates, but it will take a full month's work of the giant steam shovels to get rid of the debris.

Women Stolen by Savage Tribes of West Africa

LISBON, Jan. 17.—An insurrection has broken out in Angola, Portuguese West Africa, and dispatches received today by the Minister of the Colonies relate that the natives have committed many atrocities. They raided settlements, killing the inhabitants and pillaging property. Several European women were carried off by the insurgents and four men captives were burned alive. The governor of the colony has sent an expedition to suppress the insurrection.

Only One Injured When Cars Overtaken

LOCKHAVEN, Pa., Jan. 17.—Passengers on the Pennsylvania-Washington flyer, which left Buffalo at 10:45 o'clock last night, had a narrow escape from death when the train ran into a boulder that had rolled off the mountain side. All but one of the string of steel cars were derailed and overturned, but the only person injured was an express messenger.

Sonoma Hits Wreck; Cracks a Tail Shaft

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Latest advices from the liner Sonoma, which cracked a tail shaft by striking submerged wreckage, gave her position 500 miles south of Pago-Pago at 1 o'clock last night and making eleven knots an hour with her port engine.

WOMAN HELD TO ANSWER.

Mrs. E. Wells, alias Mrs. E. Marion, was held to answer before Judge George Samuels this morning on a charge of felonious enticement for paying a diamond suitcase worth \$100, which she had borrowed from H. H. O'Connor, a railroad engineer.

The New Play

Ashlyn Stevens
(The Famous Critic),
entitled

"The Reno Express"

will be presented for the first
time on any stage on

Sunday, Jan. 19

by
Landers Stevens

and
Georgie Cooper

at the

ORPHEUM

CRIES OF PROTEST
MARK ELECTION

Hundreds of Soldiers and the
Police on Guard During
Exciting Contest.

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the ancient residence of the kings of France. These official electors included 587 deputies and 200 senators, but the number was reduced owing to vacancies caused by deaths and resignations or by illness.

Most of the senators and deputies came out from Paris on special trains provided by the government and a few arrived in motor cars or carriages. With them came some 1300 relatives and friends.

Premier Raymond Poincare and the members of his cabinet arrived together some hours before the voting began. Jules Pams, the minister of agriculture, was not among them. He had sent to the premier early today his resignation and notification that he had accepted the candidacy for the presidency of the republic. Poincare immediately designated Fernand David, at present minister of commerce, to take over also the portfolio of agriculture.

THREE BALLOTS TAKEN.

According to the constitution if three ballots are cast without a result the candidate then holding the highest total of votes is chosen as president. Out of the nine presidential elections that have been held since the foundation of the third republic in 1870, seven have been decided on the first ballot. Only at the elections of Sadi-Carnot in 1887 and of Felix Faure in 1895 were two ballots necessary.

Each ballot occupies almost three hours, as the deputies and senators are called upon separately in alphabetical order to place their ballot papers in the urns.

BRILLIANT SCENE.

The interior of the palace, which dates from the time of Louis XIV, was brilliantly decorated. The floor of the congress hall itself was arranged with 300 chairs covered in dark leather. The members of the two chambers took their places in accordance with their political groupings.

Outside the palace in the spacious grounds there was great animation all day, the park being filled with motor cars and carriages, while many live-entred domestics and the guests of curious foreigners wandered about. These were interspersed with mounted troopers for the purpose of keeping order.

Twelve special telegraph wires had been laid from Versailles to Paris for the use of officials and the great hall was crowded with reporters and dozens of special telephones were installed to insure rapid communication.

The buffet of the palace was heavily stocked with food and thousands of bottles of mineral water.

FOURISHES REVOLVER.

Considerable commotion was caused by a stranger who sought to obtain entrance into the palace. When he was stopped by a gendarme and asked his business he pulled out a revolver and shouted:

"This election should not take place."

He was at once disarmed and arrested. A number of other suspects also were taken into custody. The government took unusual military and police measures along the railroad lines from Paris to Versailles, which were guarded the whole distance by military men posted at intervals of 100 yards.

A force of 200 policemen drawn from all cities of France was brought here this morning, as well as detachments of troops of all arms, while the garrison of Versailles was confined to its quarters.

SHOUT OF PROTEST.

The National Assembly was opened promptly by Antonin Dubost, president of the Senate, who read the decree of convocation in a loud, clear voice. Every inch of space in the great hall was occupied. Ninety per cent of the electors in the galleries were women. Everybody present was listening with strained attention when suddenly a thunderous voice from the body of the hall shouted:

"We protest against—"

The rest of the phrase was lost in a tumult of cries and exclamations. The voice was that of the Conservative deputy, the Marquis Albert de Dion, who, when the Marquis had somewhat subsided, started afresh:

"We protest against the election of the president of the republic by parliament instead of by the people."

The assembly was agitated anew by a shout from a Socialist deputy, "Down with the empire."

The Republicans replied by cheering, "Long live the republic!"

Senator Dubost, who is a veteran parliamentarian, gradually restored order by admonishing the assembly that such interruptions were deplorable and futile, as well as being contrary to the rules of what was merely

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an electoral college, where motions and speeches, whatever their character, were not permissible.

FRANCE'S STRONG MAN.

Poincare is one of the strongest men who have participated in politics in France within recent years. He is in his 53d year and has been in politics since his early youth, having been elected Deputy in 1888.

Poincare has been a minister in many French cabinets, having served as Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Public Instruction, Minister of Finance and Premier. He was vice-president of the Chamber of Deputies for four years. He became Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs on January 14, last year.

Poincare is a lawyer. He also is a prolific author and is a member of the French Academy, which gives him rank as an "immortal."

BELIEVE HIM HONEST.

He made a great personal sacrifice when he became Premier, for he gave up an extremely lucrative practice at the bar. His eloquence is a proverb in France, and even his strongest political opponents express confidence in the honesty of his purposes.

Poincare's father was a prominent public official, and one of his brothers also occupies a high post in the government service.

Madame Poincare was Mlle. Henrietta Benucci, an Italian. She and her husband have occupied for many years an apartment on Avenue des Champs Elysee, and they will not have to go when they leave for the Presidential residence, the Palace of the Elysee, on February 18 next.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 17.—Cherry Camp, No. 184, Woodmen of the World, held an installation in the Masonic Temple here last night, as follows: Council commander, C. D. Reid; advisor, Lieutenant, R. W. Gelsenhofer; banker, C. J. Lynch; clerk, E. E. Albert; escort, W. E. Cunningham; workman, M. Gelsenhofer; sentry, T. H. Johnson; manager, C. R. Jones.

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COMBINE CONTROLS SHIPPING, CHARGE

Operates Under Agreements With Railroads, Says Head of Company.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Atlantic coast shipping trade is practically controlled by a combine of the Atlantic Gulf and West Indian Ship company, New York, and Porto Rico Ship company, Clyde Line, Matamoros Line and Eastern Line and the Insular Line, according to A. H. Bull, president of A. H. Bull Steamship company, who testified today before the House shipping trust committee.

The combination, Bull said, operated under agreements with the railroads, by which the railroads refused to operate with any independent lines on less than full cargoes. He added it was almost impossible for an independent company to secure wharfage facilities because the railroads owned or controlled the terminals at most of the ports.

FORCED TO SELL, CLAIM.

Bull testified that after organizing the New York and Porto Rican Steamship company a combination of circumstances forced him in 1900 to sell his interest in the company and to go into the Porto Rican trade for ten years. The line was then taken into the Atlantic, Gulf and West India Steamship company. In 1902 he formed the A. H. Bull Steamship company, with a principal line between New York and Stockton, Calif., Maine. Since the expiration of his bond, the witness said his company had operated ships between New York and Porto Rico in competition with the combine, which he declared cut rates, sometimes giving discounts of 50 and 75 per cent, whenever a Bull steamer was scheduled to sail for Porto Rico.

Various overtures had been made, Bull continued, to bring the Bull line into an agreement to maintain rates. He added he had been offered \$2000 in excess of the regular charter rate for his vessels to keep out of the Porto Rican trade.

"I think for the good of the public you should take this to the department of justice," said Representative Humphrey.

FILES SUIT AGAINST CONE RANCH COMPANY

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—E. F. May filed suit against the Cone Ranch company, Marie Louise Medeiros Com. and C. A. Hooper this morning to enforce a contract entered into December 10, 1910, and such damages as the court may see fit to allow.

May wants an injunction restraining Mrs. Cone or Hooper or their agents from disposing of any of the majority of stock, which she holds in the Cone Ranch company and in other large corporations in Tehama county.

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In the meantime, a friend of mine advised Eckman's Alternative, saying it was good for tuberculosis. The wounds in my neck were still open and in a frightful condition when I started to take it. After using two bottles I found I was improving, having gained weight, could eat and was able to sleep. I continued using it until I was well, which was in November, 1910. Before I took the medicine I had three hemorrhages, since I have been taking it I have not had any. On November 11, 1910, I started to work, and since that time I have not lost one day's work through sickness. I can highly recommend Eckman's Alternative to anyone who is suffering from tuberculosis or gland trouble, providing they take it as directed. I will gladly correspond with any party desiring further information of what the medicine did for me."

(Signed affidavit) JOSEPH R. WITTE, Eckman's Alternative, Eckman Laboratories, Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence.

PHYSICAL TEST IS LEGISLATOR'S PLAN

Qualifications for Marriage Are Proposed in Canepa's Bill.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—Physical qualifications for marriage are proposed in a bill introduced today by Assemblyman Victor J. Canepa of San Francisco. The bill provides that no woman under the age of 45 or any man of any age, unless he marries a woman over 45, either of whom is a common drunkard, habitual criminal, epileptic, imbecile or insane suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, in an advanced stage or contagious venereal disease, shall marry.

The county clerk is required to have a physician's certificate satisfying the above conditions before issuing a marriage license and a penalty of a maximum fine of \$1000, or imprisonment for three years, or both, is provided for violation of the statute, as well as making any falsification of the records concerned a perjury.

Produce and Fruit Men Are Protected

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—While there have been several bills introduced at the present session of the Legislature whose purpose is to protect the produce and fruit men from the commission agent and to regulate the commission business, the measure introduced yesterday by Senator E. A. Birdsall of Last Auburn is the most complete of those presented. It is drafted after a careful study of conditions made by State officials. It was drawn with the assistance of State officers and, while not strictly an "administration measure," it will receive the assistance of many administration men.

The bill provides that all fruit and produce brokers and commission houses shall, within ten days of the date of sale, make return to the consignee showing the cost and expenses charged against the return, together with the name and address of the purchaser, the condition in which the shipment was received and the quantities received and delivered, under penalty of a fine of \$500 for each violation. It provides further that commission houses shall be liable for damages for any loss by reason of delayed account of sales, that the loss a consignee may sustain in comparison with the amount he could have obtained in other markets or from other agencies shall be considered appropriate damages from delayed account of sales, and that the measure of damages shall be the difference between the actual price received for the shipment by the consignee and the price received for such fruit or produce in the market at the time the delinquent broker between the time the account of sales was due and the time received.

Opposes Closing of Assay Offices

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—The California legislature took cognizance today of the plan to close the Federal assay offices, proposed by the treasury of the treasury in his annual report.

Senator A. Cammilleri, whose home is in the mining country, offered a joint resolution declaring that these offices are of high economic service in protecting the producers of the precious metals from the extortionate exploitation of a smelting and refining monopoly. The resolution protests against shutting them up.

What is understood to be practically a duplicate of the Idaho bill regulating unskilled labor on railroads and in lumber camps was introduced by Senator J. B. Sanford of Ukiah, who said he got most of his information concerning it from the state labor commissioner of Idaho. It provides for an educational test which would bar Japanese, Greeks and other non-English speaking aliens.

The employing company, under the bill, must file at each county seat a declaration of language spoken in their camps and all business about the camps must be carried on in that language.

PLUMBERS TO ASK FOR STATE EXAMINERS

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—The annual convention of the California State Association of Plumbers was opened here today with an attendance of thirty-five delegates, representing a membership of 2500. The delegates planned to frame a measure providing for the appointment by the governor of a state board of examiners for plumbers, despite their failure for several years to get a similar bill through the legislature.

DIES OF INJURIES

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Edward Johnson, a rigger, 66 years old, who, on January 6, fell from a tank at the Union Iron Works, died today at Dr. Buell's sanatorium. He lived at 648 Paris street.

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STATE ASSEMBLY HAS MERRY ROW

After Which Peace Settles on Solons and They Adjourn Until Monday.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—The Assembly adjourned until Monday today after a stormy discussion over committee rooms, precipitated by the crowded condition of the Capitol. The question finally was settled temporarily by the appointment of Assemblymen Benedict, Chandler and Smith as a committee to confer with a similar committee of the Senate as to the Senate committee rooms, none of the Senate committee rooms having been pre-empted by the Senate engineering department, which is using many of the Assembly committee rooms.

TO HONOR SISTER MARY MATILDA

College of Holy Names Will Celebrate Golden Jubilee Next Sunday.

The golden jubilee of Sister Mary Matilda, one of the pioneers on this coast of the Sisters of the Holy Names, will be celebrated next Sunday at the College of the Holy Names in Webster street. The alumnae of the college, Sister Mary Matilda's pupils and their children, have been invited to attend the celebration, which will include a reception from 2 to 5 p. m. and the benediction at 4.30.

WANTS STATE TO AID THE JOBLESS

Assemblyman Would Establish Employment Offices in California.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—A bill providing for the establishment of state employment offices in eight cities was introduced today by Assemblyman H. W. Brown of San Mateo county. The offices are to be under the direction of the State Bureau of Labor Statistics. First class offices are to be maintained in San Francisco and Los Angeles and offices of the second class in Oakland, Sacramento, Fresno, Stockton, San Diego and Bakersfield.

The managers of the offices are required to keep in close touch with large employers and to acquaint laborers with conditions regarding sanitation, hours and wages, and whether strikes or labor disputes exist in connection with all jobs. A maximum fee of 25 cents is to be charged. To begin the work an appropriation of \$100,000 is asked. At least one employee in every office must be a woman, and separate women's departments are to be maintained.

GOVERNOR SULZER PARDONS BRANDT

Former Valet of Mortimer L. Schiff Is Freed by New Executive.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Governor Sulzer pardoned Folke B. Brandt, former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, the New York banker, on the ground that Brandt's sentence of 50 years for burglary was excessive.

At the request of Governor Sulzer, Attorney General Carmody made a statement saying that the governor's action wiped out a "blot on the judiciary of the state," and showed "that there is nothing that can defeat the ends of justice."

The governor explained that Brandt had promised to lead a better life if released from prison and added that Schiff had declared he would not oppose Brandt's application for clemency unless it was based on "scandalous and malicious statements."

It was stipulated by Governor Sulzer in pardoning Brandt that he is not to accept a theatrical engagement and must not in the future reflect upon the character of any one.

ALLEGED BUNCO MAN IS HELD TO ANSWER

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Morris Demartini, one of the gang of alleged bunco men, was held to answer by Judge Shortall today with bonds fixed at \$10,000. He is alleged to have mulcted G. Massi-out of \$1000. An additional charge of grand larceny was placed against him this afternoon.

John Martino, alias Del Monte, alleged to be wanted in Los Angeles for mulching two firemen out of \$18.00 was released on a writ of habeas corpus today in Judge Cabaniss's court.

SOLE HEIR TO ESTATE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—President Emanuel Cabrera of Guatemala is declared the sole heir to the estate of his son, Don Carlos Cabrera, by Superior Judge Graham today. Public Administrator Hynes will send President Cabrera a check for \$1600, representing the total value of the property.

BOY BREAKS ARM.

While roller skating last evening, Alexander Kyle, son of Inspector William Kyle, of 6107 Colby street, fell to the pavement and sustained a fracture of his left arm. The lad, who is 13 years of age, was treated at the receiving hospital by Dr. Reine and Steward Davidson.

AUTO STRIKES HYDRANT; 2 DIE

Men Are Hurlled From Machine in Collision With Water Plug.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—Russell F. Davis, of Cleveland, assistant secretary to Mrs. Helen Britton, owner of the St. Louis National League Baseball Club, and William E. Walters, of St. Louis, president of a novelty company, were killed in an automobile accident here today.

The automobile in which they were riding struck a water plug at Grand and Cottage avenues. The impact turned the car around, threw the two men out and tore the cap off the water plug, flooding the street and inundating Davis's body as it lay near the curb.

Davis died a few minutes after he had been taken out of the water by a policeman. Walters was hurled in the air and was dead when picked up.

British Ship Still In Peril; Few Saved

OPORTO, Portugal, Jan. 17.—Contrary to previous reports, only a few of the 130 passengers on the British steamer Veronah, which was wrecked near here yesterday, have been saved. The ship still is in a perilous position, and the only life to the shore broke after only 33 women and children had been rescued. The sea, however, has become more moderate, and the salvagers are making efforts to establish another life line.

BABY SAVES HER MOTHER'S LIFE

4-Year-Old Girl Awakens Parent After Room Is Mass of Flames.

RICHMOND, Jan. 17.—Awakened by the smell of smoke, four-year-old Mary Orsina early this morning aroused her mother in the midst of a room which had almost become a mass of flames. The little girl was asleep in an adjoining room and her father, Philip Orsina, had arisen early and prepared his own breakfast before going to work. A coal from the stove had dropped upon the floor and five spread to the bedroom where Mrs. Orsina lay.

The baby was slightly burned. Mrs. Orsina arose, wrapped herself and the child in blankets from the bed and they escaped from the house, which was burned to the ground before the arrival of the fire department. The home at Nineteenth street near Chancellor avenue was valued at \$800. This is partly covered by insurance.

Oldest Inhabitant In District Is Dead

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Captain Wesley Markwood, said to have been the oldest native born inhabitant of the District of Columbia, was buried today. The veteran's exact age was not known, even to himself, but he had served the government for seventy years and had a stirring career in the army and navy, serving in the early Indian troubles in Texas, in the war with Mexico and the civil war.

AAHMES TEMPLE INSTALLS OFFICERS

Shrine Approves of the Plan to Hold Horse Show in This City This Spring.

At the last meeting of Aahmes Temple of the Mystical Shrine the recently elected officers were installed by illustrious Potentate Frank W. Bilger as follows:

Chief rabban, George S. Meredith; assistant rabban, Robert Greig; high priest, and prophet, Dr. J. L. Pease; oriental guide, B. A. Forrester; treasurer, J. A. Hill; recorder, E. H. Mangan; first ceremonial master, Dr. F. B. Woolsey; second ceremonial master, Milton Hamilton; magister, Charles Chubb; director, George F. Foye, and captain of the guard, Chas. P. MacLafferty.

The organization endorsed the action taken at the Hotel Oakland a week ago in this matter of holding a horse show in this city early in the spring. The Shrine is at present seeking a location for the show. Idora Park and the old Delevor property on Telegraph avenue have both been considered as suitable places.

The temple also ratified the project of holding a ceremonial session in this city next month, at which 100 candidates will be initiated.

ARGUES STOCKTON ST. TUNNEL.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Former Justice of the Appellate Court, J. A. Cooper, argued throughout the morning in Superior Judge Sewall's court in support of his petition to have a restraining order made permanent against City and County Tax Collector Low in connection with the assessment for the Stockton street tunnel.

Cooper is himself a large property owner in the section concerned and represents numerous others.

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| \$15 Women's and Misses' Raincoats, Cloth and Cravenette Coats | \$8.75 | \$6 Girls' Rain Coats and best quality Coronation Rain Capes | \$3.75 | Men's \$12.50 Raincoats and Priestley Cravenette Overcoats | \$6.75 |
| \$22 Rain and Heavy Winter Coats and Priestley Cravenette Coats | \$12.50 | \$3.50 Boys' Raincoats | \$2.25 | Men's \$20 Raincoats, Priestley Cravenette and heavy Winter Overcoats | \$11.50 |
| \$3.50 Rain Capes for girls; all sizes | \$2.25 | \$4.50 Boys' Raincoats | \$3.25 | Men's \$35 English Gabardines, Imported Canton Raincoats and Priestley Cravenette Overcoats | \$18.75 |
| | | \$7.00 Boys' Raincoats | \$4.00 | | |

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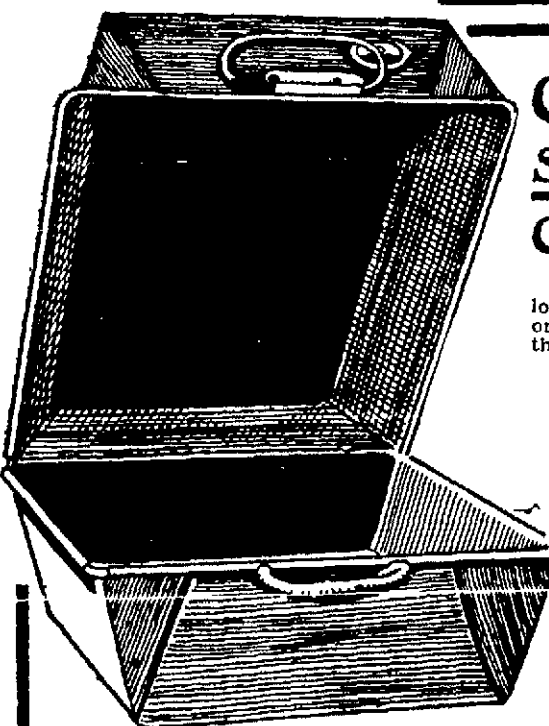
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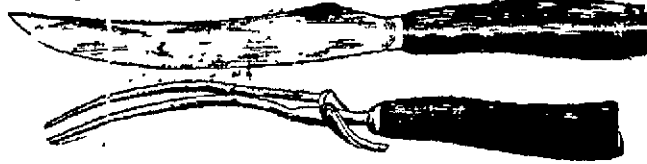
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Cups and Saucers

Real china, dainty decoration, gold band around top. No telephone. No delivery.

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BILL PROVIDING WHIPPING-POST FOR WIFE-BEATERS PROPOSED BY SOLON

Senator Hans Would Bar All Cruel Husbands From Again Taking to Selves a Wife

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clear bill of health. Violation of this act would cost a county clerk a sum not less than \$100.

USE OF FICTITIOUS NAMES.

The use of fictitious names in securing licenses to evade the blacklist is also provided for in Senator Hans' bill. Conviction under such a charge is punishable by imprisonment for not more than five years and in the event of the marriage having been solemnized it is annulled.

Senator Hans' bill is without doubt the most drastic measure of the dozen or so measures touching on public morals that has been introduced this session, and when Secretary Parrish read off the title of the measure every head in the Senate was raised. "An act relating to divorce; designating who is a wife-beater; providing that no subsequent marriage, license be issued to such; providing that a register of wife-beaters be kept by county clerks, and providing penalties for violations of this act," read Parrish, and the whole Senate was attentive.

The bill created widespread interest in both houses and Senator Hans has become known as the protector of cruelly treated women.

Several of the women voters in Hans' district spoke to him about the matter and suggested that something be done to curb the frightful divorce conditions that were brought to light in the recent report of Labor Commissioner McLaughlin. Hans went to work on the subject and got out the bill. Furthermore he is prepared to fight for its passage.

DELEGATION IS BUSY.

Alameda county legislators introduced their share of the proposed laws to govern the state of California yesterday. Senators Tyrrell and Breed were the active solons in the upper house, while Assemblymen Goldsmith and Morganstern upheld the honors in the Assembly. Amendments to the charter of the city of Alameda, which were submitted by Senator Hans, were ratified by the Senate.

The county officers of Alameda county probably will be asked to appear before the Alameda county delegation in Sacramento to thresh out their demands for increased salaries and additional funds as provided in their proposed county government bill.

Senator Tyrrell paved the way for a conference yesterday by introducing a dummy county government bill. The bill carried blank spaces where the amount of salaries and expenses, and when it has been decided what salaries should be paid the Alameda officers the amounts will be filled in as an amendment to the bill.

The Alameda legislators have not expressed any opinions about what might be given their county officers, but several have indicated that they are not unimpressed by the report of the Alameda County Grand Jury on the subject. The grand jury did not find in favor of more money for the officers.

As soon as the Alameda county delegation organizes—and organization appears some days distant now—word will probably be sent to the Alameda county officers asking them to appear before the delegation and explain the changes in the county government bill. The departure of Senator Tyrrell for Oakland yesterday afternoon precluded any attempt being made at organization then.

PENSIONS FOR TEACHERS.

Senator Tyrrell introduced his bill for creating pensions for teachers. The bill, which is No. 398, is known as the "Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund." This fund would accrue from that portion of the State inheritance tax as is not specifically appropriated to the State school fund. It would be the duty of the State Superintendent to make a report to the State Controller, twice each year, the amount of money needed to carry on the fund.

This bill, which is being much discussed by legislators, provides that public school teachers who have been in the service 10 years and who shall have served as teacher, principal or superintendent for at least 10 years, at least three years immediately preceding retirement, shall be entitled to receive for life compensation, except in the case of a retired teacher, salary payable quarterly, which shall be equal to one and one-half percent of the average salary of such teacher during the last ten years of service, multiplied by the total number of years of service.

After a service of 20 years, should a bodily or mental infirmity befall the teacher that causes retirement because of such incapacity, a pension to be payable quarterly, equal to one and one-half percent of the average salary computed as in the case of those serving 20 years becomes due. The latter salary would be deducted from the total if the teacher so pensioned reaches the 50-year limit and is placed permanently under a salary pension.

AGAINST VACCINATION.

Three bills were introduced in the Assembly yesterday by George Gilder of Berkeley. One bill, which is aimed at the prevailing practice at the State University of demanding vaccination as a requisite entrance privilege to create considerable excitement in the Legislature, compulsory vaccination has been more or less a festering question with every Legislature of recent years.

This law was formerly one of the most stringent in the State, but as the result of repeated attacks by anti-compulsory vaccinationists, it has been amended from time to time, with the result that now a clause exists that provides for a conscientious vaccination. This means that persons who are opposed to vaccination on scientific or ethical reasons are not compelled to be vaccinated. The pro-vaccinationists have in a measure overcome this clause by the inclusion of a section setting forth the value of vaccination as a disease preventative.

Assemblyman Gilder charges, however, that the State University has ignored this "conscientious" measure, and has made vaccination compulsory. His bill is to make compulsory vaccination illegal in all public schools and to make any violation a misdemeanor.

Another bill by Gilder would provide for the licensing of special medical or surgery practitioners in the State of California. This bill would enable "corner specialists" and others to get diplomas from the State. The applicants would be required to give a special demonstration as to their skill along the special line. The bill would eliminate those persons who are not sufficiently versed in this medical subject from practicing in the State and create a clear and legitimate field for those who are capable.

SENATOR GEORGE J. HANS, WHO HAS INTRODUCED LEGISLATION AIMED AT MEN WHO BEAT THEIR WIVES.



the last eight years approximating \$5,000,000.

The corporations chartered under the state also have another plea, it is said on which they will base an argument against the present tax. They declare that inasmuch as they are taxed for their franchises, a continuance of the corporation license tax amounts to a double taxation.

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YOUNG EXPLAINS.

The situation also created the opportunity for Speaker Young to explain his position on the selection of committees and in a measure, answering the criticisms of the San Francisco delegation, principally that it had not been treated fairly on chairmanships, particularly that of commerce and navigation.

Speaker Young declared that he had selected his committees with just such a contingency in view and had arranged them into ten groups so that these groups could meet without conflict and demand the presence of an assemblyman at more than one meeting at the same time.

The committee groups are as follows: "Group 1—Agriculture, Banking, Civil Service, Claims and Constitutional Amendments."

"Group 2—Building and Loan Associations, Commerce and Navigation, Conservation, Contested Elections, and Corporations."

"Group 3—Education, Hospitals, Oil Industries, and Prisons and Reformatories."

"Group 4—Elections, Fish and Game, Public Health and Quarantine, and State Grounds and Parks."

"Group 5—County Government, Drainage, Swamp and Overflowed Land, Mines and Mining, and Municipal Corporations."

"Group 6—Judiciary, and Ways and Means."

"Group 7—Irrigation, Medical and Dental Affairs, Military Affairs, and Public Morals."

"Group 8—Insurance, Libraries, Public Charities and Corrections, and Revenue and Taxation."

"Group 9—Roads and Highways, Live Stock and Fisheries, Universities, and Labor and Capital."

"Group 10—Miscellaneous Revision of Criminal Procedure, Normal Schools, Federal Relations, and Manufacturing."

JORDAN TO FIGHT.

Frank C. Jordan, secretary of state, declared yesterday that he would not strenuously attempt to abolish the corporation license tax on intrastate corporations, inasmuch as the State Supreme Court had decided that the corporation license tax affecting intrastate corporations was unconstitutional. Talk to the effect that the present legislative would be asked to abolish the tax has caused Jordan to rush to his defense. He declares that this tax alone has brought a revenue to the state within

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The first social function of the fortieth Legislature was the reception by Governor and Mrs. Hiram W. Johnson at the executive mansion from 4 to 7 o'clock last evening. The features of the affair was the magic tricks put on by Malini, who was brought up from San Francisco for the occasion, and who mystified his audience during all the time he appeared before it. The features with which Malini made a hit was putting a necktie on Assemblyman J. W. Stuckenbruck of Acampo.

Sacramento society turned out in force, and besides the members of the Legislature and their wives present, there were scores of local men and women prominent in the life of the state capital. In the receiving line, besides the wife of the state's chief executive, were: Mrs. Hiram W. Johnson, Jr., Mrs. E. D. Roberts, Mr. Ernest Birdsell of Auburn, Mrs. P. E. Bowles of Piedmont, Mrs. Frank C. Havens and Mrs. Mary Fairweather of Oakland.

Nearly every member of the present Assembly and Senate was in attendance during the receiving hours, and those whose families are with them here were accompanied by their wives and daughters to the function.

The reception was an informal affair and did not take on the rich splendor that functions later in the session will assume, but it was a fitting opening to a season which promises to be one of the gayest that the state capital has witnessed in recent years.

COLORADO APPROVES.

DENVER, Jan. 17.—The Senate today passed a concurrent amendment to the federal constitution providing for direct election of United States Senators. Action by the House is expected Monday.

Assemblyman Herbert W. Slater of Santa Rosa has introduced a bill to pension aged hospital employees. The bill is based on the statement that the character of the work makes an attendant after a certain year incapable of performing other vocational duties. This bill was introduced by request and is a copy of the bill Slater introduced in the 1911 Legislature.

A bill intended to protect California shippers against unreliable commission merchants has been introduced by Senator Birdsell of Auburn. The bill reads:

"That all firms receiving consignments of California fruit or produce must make return within 10 days of receipt of such consignments to the shipper or consignee of an account showing the charges for expenses against the returns, together with the name and address of the purchaser, the condition in which the fruit or produce was received and the quantities received and delivered."

Violations of the provision of the bill is punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 for each offense.

DEAD MUST STAY DEAD.

A man who has been legally declared to be dead by the courts after seven years' absence and whose estate has been distributed to his family, will not be able to return and have all procedure set aside, if a bill which Assemblyman Henry Ward Brown of San Mateo introduced in the Assembly yesterday is passed.

The bill was designed to assist in clearing title to lands owned by a man who has not been heard of for years. At present, he may be declared legally dead after seven years of such absence, but can return to the state and claim the estate. Brown's measure would provide that after seven years' absence a man's estate may be probated by his wife and family and the property sold. He contends that otherwise the property may be tied up forever.

Brown's argument is that a stranger may take adverse possession of property by living upon it for five years and paying the taxes, yet a woman, under the present laws, cannot get possession of the estate of her husband who may have disappeared 10 years ago or more.

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There is, however, no occasion for alarm, and the sensible thing to do—but it should be done instantly—is to give the baby a small dose of a mild laxative-remedy. In the opinion of a great many people, among them such well-known persons as the parents of Dixie Dudley, Magnolia, Ark., the proper remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mrs. Earl Dudley writes: "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best medicine I ever used. It cured my baby of flatulency colic when the doctors failed; it cured my husband of constipation. My home shall never be without Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is a pleasant-tasting laxative, which every person likes. It is mild, non-gripping, and contains that most excellent of all digestants, pepsin.

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If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of it before buying it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address—a postal will do—to W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be mailed to you.

SACRAMENTO COUNTY IS RICH IN ITS PRODUCTS

Secretary of State Jordan Prepares an Article for Annual Blue Book

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 15.—Sacramento county, still in the infancy of its development, already ranks second among the 58 counties of the State in vineyard products and second in number of bearing pear trees, according to comparative figures that have been prepared by Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan. The figures are given in an article on Sacramento county and city, and their resources, that Jordan has prepared for publication in the State Blue Book soon to be issued, and in which Jordan further indicates that Sacramento county ranks fourth in the production of small fruits, sixth in role production, and ninth in the total value of all crops.

Jordan has given Sacramento county's accomplishments and possibilities an extensive review. In a statistical way he relates that with an area of 429,120 acres, the county, the second largest in the State, has a value of farm lands for 1910 amounted to \$38,694,682. The total number of bearing fruit trees in the county is given as 508,852, giving an annual production of 773,257 bushels. The acreage in small fruits is given at 554, with an annual product of 1,874,175 quarts.

COUNTY'S PRODUCTS. Tropical fruit trees numbered 84,863, while the olive crop amounted to 969,962 bushels. The value of the olive crop was \$7,156, with an annual product of 57,539 pounds. The value of all crops is given at \$4,720,012, 1,490,644 pounds of fruit and nut crop at \$2,255,890. The potato crop amounted to 180,519 bushels; the milk produced for the year to 2,099,072 gallons, eggs to 589,420 dozen, the receipts from the sale of animals, \$422,442; receipts from the sale of dairy products to \$284,537.

The value of domestic animals in the county is placed at \$2,187,810. The dairy product for the year ending September 30, 1911, was \$1,490,644, ranking Sacramento 11th among the other counties in this respect, and 249,000 pounds.

The gold product in 1910 was 1,395,574. The total gold yield for 1910 was 3,863,000 pounds.

Throughout the Blue Book article, Jordan has made it a point that Sacramento county's greatness be in no way minimized. The general description matter touches on the county in flattering terms. Terming Sacramento virtually the geographical center of the State, he calls attention to the Sacramento river winding through the county, as the largest navigable river in the State. He tells of the rich alluvial soil, which rises from the river to meet the low rolling foothills of the Sierra Nevada mountains.

He recites in detail the fertility of the land along the river banks, and the islands—fertile valleys of the Sacramento Delta, where, at an expenditure of \$10,000,000, 120,000 acres have been reclaimed, making what is said to be the richest farming region in the world. Here are grown asparagus, alfalfa, potatoes, onions, beans, berries, cantaloupes, peaches, pears, cherries, almonds, walnuts and all manner of garden produce, fruits and berries.

Here is produced nearly one-quarter of the asparagus grown in the United States. Here, 250 bushels of potatoes are raised to the acre, here two acres planted to cherries netted \$500. Here, 70 acres of orchard netted \$43,024.12. Here, pear lands have produced \$490 to the acre.

RICH BOTTOM LANDS. The American river district, with rich bottom lands, where hog fields, vegetable gardens, and magnificent orchards thrive, is deemed by the Secretary of State the county's climate, its water supply which is without limit and easy of reach to all lands that need irrigation, the agricultural and horticultural development of the olive lands, which rank among the best to be found anywhere; the early producing orange orchards; the fame of the county's grapes and wines, with

sometimes start from mental strain or indigestion, but more often from general weakness, and lead to appalling conditions unless checked.

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DELAY BUILDING \$125,000 DREDGE

Complications Arise Which Threaten Split Between Companies.

It is doubtful whether the big \$125,000 clam shell dredge Trojan, now building at the Golden State and Miners' shipyards for the Trojan Dredging Company, will be ready for commission as soon as was expected. Complications have arisen which threaten to cause a split between the Golden State and Miners people and the Union Iron Works of San Francisco. The cause for the threatened disruption is over a portion of the hull of the Trojan, for which the Golden State and Miners let the contract to the San Francisco firm. This piece in question is needed now to go on with the work on the Trojan and until it can be gotten the work of construction on the big dredger will be delayed. However, there is every possibility that it will be several weeks, and possibly months, before it is secured.

Sixty-seven hours from Coos Bay, the steamer Washington arrived here this morning in charge of Captain Lee. The vessel is discharging in the inner harbor. Captain Lee reported a rough passage. The Steamer Delat completed its work at Long Wharf yesterday afternoon and sailed for Astoria in charge of Captain Thwing. While at the local wharves the Delat picked up 1500 tons of cement. The Jim Butler, Captain Hutton, sailed yesterday from De Fremery Wharf for Tacoma.

The Daisy sailed this morning from the inner harbor to prepare for sea. The Hornet arrived this morning with the fish discharging at the Sunset Lumber Company's wharf. The Santa Monica is at the Moore & Scott shipyard undergoing repairs.

ITALIAN GRAIN CROPS INFERIOR

Statistician Declares Yield Will Be of Poor Quality This Year.

(By Consul William W. Handley, Naples, October 3.)

The reviser of the Italian agricultural statistics predicts that this year's grain crop will be very inferior to that of 1911, which reached 32,000,000 quintals of 220.46 pounds. The grape crop of 1909, which reached 98,000,000 quintals, equivalent to about 1,611,440,000 gallons of wine, remains an extraordinarily large crop, but it is hoped that the grape crop of 1912 may be at least 70,000,000 quintals, or 30 to 40 percent more than the 1911 crop.

As far as the olive crop is concerned, the forecasts in all districts are very unfavorable. The fruit crop is also scarce and is considered of poor quality. The walnut, almond, and chestnut crops are somewhat better. The exports of tomato sauce, the production of which is a very flourishing industry, have risen from 5,700,000 lire (\$1,140,000) in 1908, to 22,000,000 lire (\$4,400,000) in 1911. The tomato fields, which are cultivated on a large scale, now occupy 25,000 hectares (61,800 acres), from which 4,856,000 quintals, corresponding to an average to a gross product of about 1000 lire per hectare (\$78 per acre), were produced in 1911.

WANTS BUSINESS MAN FOR NEXT PRESIDENT

EDITOR TRIBUNE: As time goes on the sound suggestion of Mr. E. C. Simmons of St. Louis that a business man is needed for President becomes more and more apparent.

Recent reported utterances of political leaders, who ought to know better, that "honest business men no longer have a chance" is evidence that the people may expect a continuance of governmental interference and meddling obstruction to all established industries, and a large scale and successful to merit the attention of politicians as a fixed policy of the incoming administration.

Since the lamented death of the great McKinley, we have had a steady line of schoolmaster, but not a business man in the White House. From all this hysteria of so-called reform and wave of investigation which has swept the country like a prairie fire the last few years, the total next result to date is to "increase the cost" of production, therefore the cost of living. This, as usual, falls heaviest upon the poor man, the man whom it is theoretically intended to benefit.

Since then government has gone into the business of supervision and regulation of the business that the people are entitled to receive is some tangible benefit. Instead of which all these investigations, decisions and resolutions, resolutions and resolutions merely add to the cost of government and the burden of taxation. Instead of reducing it. Therefore to "let business alone" for a while would not only save the useless expense of more investigations and more regulations, commissions which produce nothing finally but higher taxes to the people, but such a period of rest would allow of business expansion once more along natural lines of least resistance, as it should do and always does, when not denied the opportunity.

Will we ever again know enough to elect a business man for President? Party affiliations are of little consequence compared to the great question itself. In the last analysis our country is one vast business institution and the voters are virtually all stockholders therein. When will our political leaders turn from their narrow-visioned policy of endeavoring to "see the spider" of distribution all the while "waiting at the bung-hole" of production by discouraging individual effort, ambition and thrift and the reward of collective co-operation, by which alone can any people become great and rich and prosper and commercial supremacy among nations.

Respectfully submitted, MARK E. DAVIS.

CONSUL TO TELL OF CONDITIONS OF TRADE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—A dispatch has been received from Mr. C. H. Hurst, American consul at Lyon, France, stating that he expected to leave his post during the last week of October for 30 days' leave of absence. He will be in Washington about November 4.

American business men desiring to confer with him regarding trade conditions in his consular district may address him in care of the Consular Bureau, Department of State.

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Women's Harvard Mills Underwear—Perfect fitting, elastic garments. Pants only. Knee and ankle length styles. Genuine 50c value. Special, garment **29c**

Women's Winter Weight Vests and Pants—Splendid wearing garments with high necks, long sleeves. Actual 65c value. Special, garment **35c**

Boys' Wool Mixed Vests and Pants—High neck and long sleeve effects, in sizes from 2 to 12. Light gray only. Values to \$1.00. Special, garment **50c**

Women's All Wool Swiss Ribbed Underwear—Extra high grade garments. High neck, long sleeve effects. Pants in ankle length. Values to \$1.00. Special, garment **75c**

Women's Wool Mixed Underwear—Perfect fitting garments in high neck, long sleeve styles. Colors gray and white. Actual \$1.25 values. Special, garment **89c**

Children's White Wool Union Suits—Button down in front styles. Drop seats. Sizes from 2 to 12. Regular \$1.50 values. Special, pair **95c**

Women's Black Burson Hose—The only hose ever knitted to fit without a seam. Sold every where at 25c pair. Special, pair **16-2-3c**

BEN HUR SEAT SALE IS LARGE

Special Matinee May Be Added to Accommodate Theatergoers.

Yesterday seats were placed on sale for the Oakland engagement of Klaw & Erlanger's stupendous production of "Ben-Hur," which is to be seen at the Macdonough Theater on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights of next week, with a special matinee Wednesday.

All day yesterday and today there has been a steady line of purchasers at the Macdonough box office, and it looks as though the engagement is to be a capacity one for all performances.

Orders and coming in from Richmond, Hayward, Vallejo, Berkeley and other out-of-town points, and if the heavy demand continues it will be necessary to add an extra performance on Thursday afternoon.

The engagement of "Ben-Hur" in San Francisco has been an extraordinarily successful one, and it is this fact that has created the big demand on this side of the bay. Everyone who has witnessed the performance in an San Francisco speaks in the highest terms of the performance and the production.

The Macdonough box office will remain open all day Sunday, in order to take care of those who can only reach the theater on that day.

POWERS SEND NOTE TO TURKS

Germany Agrees in Making a Formal Presentation to the Porte.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 17.—The collective note of the European powers in London was presented to the Turkish government today.

GERMANY AGREES. LONDON, Jan. 17.—Germany's consent to the presentation to the Ottoman government of the note drafted by the ambassadors of the European powers in London, has been given. The note has been delayed the action of the powers, has now been given. Instructions have reached the German ambassador at Constantinople to participate with his diplomatic colleagues in handing the note to Turkey.

25,000 SLAUGHTERED. VIENNA, Jan. 17.—Twenty-five thousand Albanians have been "more or less wantonly" killed in the Turkish province of Kosovo by the Serbian regulars and irregulars since the invasion by them, according to the Reichspost today. The newspaper demands the dispatch of a European commission to investigate the reports of horrible atrocities.

Oakland's Most Progressive Store

ABRAHAMSON'S

S. E. Cor. 13th and Washington Sts.

1/3 CENTURY SALE

Tomorrow, Saturday Jewelry 1/2 Off

marked price—comprising odds and ends left over from our busy holiday season. Among the various attractive pieces we particularly mention the following:

BROOCHES
BUCKLES
BELT PINS
BEAUTY PINS
LA VALLIERES
HAT PINS
MESH BAGS
BRACELETS
NECKLACES
WATCH CHAINS

Saturday, last day of our great Demonstration and Sale of HAIR GOODS

For extraordinary bargains in imported human hair Switches and Transformations see the Demonstrator on our main floor opposite the Silk Department.

Notice to the Public Buy Your Meats Early

Members of the Butchers' Exchange of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley will close their markets on

SATURDAY EVENINGS at 8 P. M.

Endorsed by the BUTCHERS' EXCHANGE of Alameda County. BUTCHERS' UNION LOCAL NO. 120. CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL of Alameda County.

HIGHWAYMAN SENT TO PRISON FOR 5 YEARS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Thomas Burns, highwayman, was given five years in San Quentin by Superior Judge Cahill this morning for a robbery committed on November 8. Michael McQuade was held up by Burns and robbed of \$40.

B. CHANDLER SOUGHT. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The police were asked this morning to notify Benjamin Chandler of Plumas county that his brother is dead there. His location in this city is not known.

BEAUTIFUL HAIR WOMAN'S CHARM. DON'T HAVE THIN, FADED, GRAY HAIR

A Simple Remedy Beautifies and Darkens the Hair, Cures Dandruff.

What a pity it is to see so many people with thin, faded hair, faded or streaked with gray, and realize that most of these people might have soft, glossy, abundant hair of beautiful color and lustre if they would but use the proper treatment. There is no necessity for gray hair under twenty-five years of age, and there is no excuse for anyone, young or old, having thin, straggling hair, either full of dandruff or heavy and rank smelling, with excessive oil.

You can bring back the natural color of your hair in a few days and forever rid yourself of any dandruff and loose hairs, and make your hair grow strong and beautiful by using Wyeth's Sarsaparilla and Sulphur Hair Remedy. For generations common garden sage has been used for restoring and preserving the color of the hair, and sulphur is recognized by scalp specialists as being excellent for treatment of hair and scalp troubles.

If you are troubled with dandruff or itching scalp, or if your hair is losing its color or coming out, get a fifty-cent bottle of Wyeth's Sarsaparilla and Sulphur from your druggist, and notice the improvement in the appearance of your hair after a few days' treatment. Agents The Owl Drug Stores.

Pillow Cases	
"Raven" Pillow Cases, size 45x36, each	11c
"Cambria" Pillow Cases, size 45x36, each	13c
"Our Best" Pillow Cases, size 45x36, each	15c
"Oakland" Pillow cases, size 45x36, each	16-2-3c

January Clean-Up Bargains in Slip-Over Aprons, 48c

Strong, practical and serviceable Aprons of real Amoskeag Gingham, made up in the new slip-over style; some with kimono sleeves, others finished with bibs. Values up to 75c. Reduced for immediate clearance at, each 48c

Women's Sweaters, \$1.48

Formerly priced at \$2.50. Heavy, single breasted models, with high Byron Collars, firmly crocheted. Cardinal only. Good assortment of sizes for Women and Misses.

Flannelette Gowns, 89c

The \$1.25 kind. Come in plain white or pretty striped effects, cut extra full, finished with neat embroidered yokes.

Smart Silk Waists, \$2.95

An exceptional fine collection of higher priced models, marked down for a final clearance. Made of striped all white and Pongee color silk, finished with long sleeves and detachable collar. Sizes from 31 to 44.

Odds and Ends in Children's Night Shirts, Flannelette Robes, Caps, Hats **25c, 48c, 95c** Values to \$2.00

Our Main Floor Department's

offer some exceptional bargains this week. Many odds and ends have been regrouped and repiled to insure quick clearance.

Women's Hand Embroidered Linen Collars, entirely new effects in floral and embroidered effects. Regular 25c values. Special **12 1/2c**

Box Ruchings—Six lengths to the box, white and colors. Actual 25c value. Special **12 1/2c**

Children's Coin Purses of black, tan, brown, green and red leather, mounted on gilt or silver frames, with or without chains. Special **12 1/2c**

Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, finished with neat hem and dainty embroidered material. Specially priced at **6 for 15c**

Women's Neckwear—values up to 35c, comprising Jabots, side effects and Robespierres, also fancy valings in brown, black and white. Values to 50c yard. Special, yard **25c**

Silk Shetland Veils, very becoming and decidedly popular, come in purple, green, champagne, navy and black. Values to \$1.00. Special, **49c**

Envelope Purses and Leather Hand-Bags, moire or leather lined; fitted with coin purse. 69c Values to \$1.50. Special, each **69c**

Women's Pique Gloves, in one-clasp style, soft and pliable finished with three rows of stitching. Colors, brown, tan and black. Actual \$1.25 values. Special, pair **89c**

A Message to Human Sufferers

DR. CHAN is the greatest modern advocate of the use of the "Chan-Kong" method of treatment. He has cured thousands of cases of all ailments of male and female, and has been successful in curing the most obstinate cases of all ailments. He has cured thousands of cases of all ailments. He has cured thousands of cases of all ailments.

no knife used in our profession. Call or write. Strictly confidential. Consultation and examination free. WHAT YOUR AFFLICTION IS, if you have failed with other doctors, come to me and be convinced.

We are always well supplied with a fresh stock of 5000 varieties of these "Chan-Kong" operation. CHAN & KONG HERB CO. 901 Corner Clay and 9th Sts. Oakland, Cal. Office hours: 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

Patients Speak for Themselves

KIDNEY AND LUNG TROUBLES OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 20, 1912. To Whom it May Concern:

This is to certify that I have been suffering from kidney and lung trouble for several years and treated by many of the most prominent physicians in this city, but none of them seemed to do me any good. I also visited the famous mines of California with the same result, and then I gave up all hope. I was advised by an old friend of mine to call and consult Dr. Chan and Kong. I called on the day after tomorrow and without asking me any questions they told me they understood my case. I began the treatment immediately and after two days I felt like a new man. So I continued the treatment for three weeks, at which time I was cured. I am now in perfect health and feel like a new man. I am very grateful to Dr. Chan and Kong for their kind and successful treatment. I remain, very sincerely yours, MRS. N. SMITH.

1503 Pacific St., Berkeley, Cal., Oct. 14, 1912. CHAN & KONG HERB CO.

My dear Doctor: I am pleased to state during the past fifteen months the various ailments I have been suffering from, and have taken your medicine, after receiving by you with great success. The cure was immediate and the family is better than at any time. I am very grateful to you for your kind and successful treatment. I remain, very sincerely yours, E. C. WOOD.

With best wishes and sincere regards, I am, yours very truly, 1001 Oxford St. STOMACH TROUBLE OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 17, 1912.

Dear Sir: I am pleased to testify to the merits of your Chinese Herbs, which I had occasion to use for stomach trouble, after being afflicted for three years with indigestion and loss of appetite. (Signed) 1421 Clay and 15th Sts.

Save Money, Avoid Pain Teeth Extracted Without Pain

Easiest and Painless Extractors in Oakland.

SPECIAL UNTIL JAN. 31. 25c GOLD CROWNS..... \$2.00 SET OF TEETH..... \$3.00 GOLD FILLINGS..... \$1.00 SILVER FILLINGS..... .50 BRIDGE WORK..... \$2.00

Teeth Extracted Free when Teeth are Ordered.

Ten-Year Guarantee with All Work. **BOSTON DENTAL CO.** 1309 WASHINGTON ST. HOURS—Week days, 9 to 9. Sundays 10 to 2.

FOR YOUR HAIR

Here Are Facts We Want You to Prove at Our Risk.

Marvelous as it may seem, Recall "93" Hair Tonic has grown hair on heads that were once bald. Of course, it is understood, that in none of these cases were the hair roots dead nor had the scalp taken on a glazed, shiny appearance.

When the roots of the hair are entirely dead and the pores of the scalp glazed over, we do not believe that anything can restore their growth.

When Recall "93" Hair Tonic will do as above stated, it is not strange that we have such great faith in it, and that we claim it will prevent baldness when used in time it acts scientifically, destroying the germs, which are usually responsible for baldness. It penetrates to the roots of the hair, stimulating and nourishing them. It is a most pleasant toilet necessity, is delicately perfumed and will not run nor permanently stain the hair.

We want you to get a bottle of Recall "93" Hair Tonic and use it as directed. If it does not relieve scalp irritation, remove dandruff, prevent the hair from falling out and promote an increased growth of hair and in every way give entire satisfaction, simply come back and tell us and without question or formality we will hand back to you every penny you paid us for it.

We send our endorsement to Recall "93" Hair Tonic and sell it on this guarantee, because we believe it is the best hair tonic ever discovered. It comes in two sizes, prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember, you can obtain it only at the Owl Drug Co. stores in Oakland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Sacramento, Portland, Seattle, Spokane.

—Advertisement—

CROWD TO GO ON
Y. M. I. EXCURSION

District Meeting of Council at Concord Is Feature of Trip.

VALLEJO, Jan. 17.—The Y. M. I. excursion to Concord on Sunday is likely to be one of the most interesting trips of the season. District Deputy Grand President George I. Lyon, who has charge of the affair anticipates a record crowd.

The occasion will be the district meeting of the council at Concord and arrangements have been made for a picnic. A special boat has been hired from the Monticello company. There will be a mass at 10:30 and luncheon will be served. Delegations will be present from Napa, Benicia, Port Costa, Martinez, Antioch and other places. Grand President Thomas F. White is to be the principal of the many grand officers present.

INSPECTS WIRING.
VALLEJO, Jan. 17.—Walter Reed, representing the board of Underwriters, yesterday inspected the wiring now being done on the remodeled Waldorf corner. Reed was here at the request of the city officials, who want lower insurance rates. He will make a report of his findings to the San Francisco office.

DEMAND FOR THE TRIBUNE
ANNUAL UNPRECEDENTED
Hundreds Are Being Sent to All Parts of
Country and Abroad

THE high favor in which THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL FOR JANUARY, 1913, is being held by the people generally has been demonstrated conclusively by the steadily increasing demand for copies wrapped and addressed for mailing to the friends of the senders residing at various parts of the country and abroad. In previous years THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL has been invariably in great demand, but this year the call for it has been unprecedented.

Meantime the unqualified compliments paid to the Tribune Publishing Company for the production of an Annual of such an exceptionally high standard of literary and artistic merit and the voluntary acknowledgments of its special value as an influential agent for the promotion of the best interests of Oakland and other east bay shore cities and Alameda county in general at home and abroad multiply in volume daily. The consensus of public judgment as to THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL is, as it was planned it should be, that it contains the very facts that the people of the east bay shore cities and Alameda county desired to be made known to the outside world, and which residents abroad were particularly eager to learn, regarding their varied resources, natural and artificial attractions, climatic conditions, commercial and industrial progress, public and private enterprises, relations with other communities and countries (domestic and foreign) and the glowing prospects of their future development. The Annual is all the more highly appreciated because all these facts have been marshalled in its 104 pages in such a compact and intelligent literary and artistic form as to at once appeal to the eye and the understanding of the reader.

Following are additional examples of the popular tributes of appreciation paid to THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL FOR JANUARY, 1913:

SPLENDID BOOK.
MAYOR FRANK K. MOTT.—This is a splendid book. I think the enterprise of the publishers of the TRIBUNE ANNUAL in getting out so magnificent an edition is a tribute to the city of Oakland and the businesslike quality of our citizens.

The artistic workmanship is of the first quality. The reading matter is interesting and instructive. The magazine is one that will be a credit to the city of Oakland wherever it is sent. The highest praise should be given to those who have worked to get out this Annual.

CREDIT TO COMMUNITY.
F. E. TURNER, Commissioner of Public Health and Safety.—The TRIBUNE ANNUAL is the best thing of its kind ever published by a newspaper in the east bay section. It is a credit to the community and should be preserved as an encyclopedia of the resources and industries of Alameda county.

The illustrations are specially attractive and give an excellent idea of the natural and developed beauties of our city and its surroundings.

ATTRACTIVE EDITION.
A. E. JOHNSON, Chief Deputy County Clerk.—There is certainly some class to the 1913 TRIBUNE ANNUAL. Not only is the reading matter interesting, but the illustrations depict to the reader what is going on in and about Oakland. The edition is attractive in every respect.

SPEAKS FOR ADVANCEMENT.
A. A. DAHLKE.—THE TRIBUNE

WORTHY OF PRAISE.
(Oakland Eagle).—The annual number of THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE, issued yesterday, is an unusually attractive publication and a credit to any community. The number is put together with taste and judgment and contains a vast amount of information concerning Oakland and the surrounding communities. It is profusely illustrated and points out in concise form the many advantages of this community, both from a residential and business standpoint. It will aid materially in bringing to the attention of the reading public the great recent growth of this city and the bright future of the future. It is worthy of praise and close perusal.

ANNUAL appealed to me so strongly that I compared it with last year's edition, and I found that it was largely superior in many ways. It speaks for itself and for the advancement of the city and county.

KEEP A COPY.
SUPERIOR JUDGE F. B. OGDEN.—There is certainly a lot of interesting material in THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL. The statistics regarding the county should be read by everybody who has the interests of the county at heart. It is a good copy to be preserved in every home.

FINE EDITION.
SUPERIOR JUDGE EVERETT J. BROWN.—The annual edition of THE TRIBUNE for this year is the one I tell all about the county and gives a vast amount of interesting statistics, which it is well to have preserved in such an elaborate form.

NOTHING LEFT TO SAY.
M. J. KELLY, County Treasurer.—There is little to be said about Alameda county since the 1913 annual edition of THE TRIBUNE has appeared. The edition is bright and interesting and contains something for all. It shows that there has been considerable advancement over last year in every respect, and it is set forth in a way that all can comprehend.

OF INTEREST TO ALL.
SUPERIOR JUDGE T. W. HARRIS.—I have perused THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL with interest and find that it is all that could be asked for in the way of a record of the events and prosperity of Oakland and vicinity during the past year. The pictures are attractive and the reading matter is of interest to all.

NOTHING OVERLOOKED.
SUPERIOR JUDGE W. H. WASTE.—Nothing seems to have been overlooked in THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL so far as the assets and beauties of Alameda county are concerned. It is a fine edition and one that speaks well for the progressiveness of Oakland.

ADVANTAGES SHOWN.
HARRY S. ANDERSON, Commissioner of Public Works.—THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL is unquestionably the finest edition I have ever seen. What appeals to me most is the fact that it is one big boost for My City, Oakland, from the front cover to the last. Upon reading this edition one cannot help being impressed with the great advantages and possibilities presented by our city.

RECORD IS COMPLETE.
SUPERIOR JUDGE W. H. DONAHUE.—After carefully perusing THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL, I do not hesitate to say that it is even a finer edition than anything heretofore attempted along that line in Alameda county. It exceeds the last year's edition and it is a record of events regarding Alameda county of which the citizens may well be proud.

WELL PLEASED.
COUNTY ASSESSOR C. F. HORNER.—I was more than pleased with the 1913 edition of THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL. From cover to cover, the copy is exceedingly attractive and it contains much information that should be valuable to all who have the interests of the county at heart.

FITTING PRESENTATION.
DR. O. D. HAMILIN.—With but a brief opportunity to peruse THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL, I arrived at the conclusion that it was a fitting presentation to the people of a metropolitan community.

VALUABLE WORK.
SUPERIOR JUDGE W. S. WELLS.—The ANNUAL should be valuable to all who desire to keep a record of Oakland's growth. Its illustrations are attractive and they show better than words could tell what is going on in Oakland.

PERFECTION REACHED.
JOHN F. MULLINS, Chairman Board of Supervisors.—There is one word to say in regard to the 1913 edition of THE TRIBUNE ANNUAL; that is, perfection! In every way the edition speaks for the prosperity and advancement of Alameda county. There is nothing that I could suggest which would contribute to the thorough manner in which the edition was edited.

BONDS FILED TO
FREE TWEETMOE

Accused Conspirator's Friends Offer Security for His Appearance.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The bonds of \$100,000 necessary for the release of Quin A. Tweetmoe, under six years' adjournment for conspiracy in connection with the McNamara dynamite plot, were filed yesterday afternoon before United States Commissioner Francis K. Miller in the United States District Court. The bonds were accompanied by F. M. McCarthy and Attorney George Appell, and the sureties qualified for \$143,500.

The heaviest surety was Mrs. Tweedmoe, wife of the prisoner, her bond being for \$70,000, the stated value of property in her name. It consists of real estate and improvements in this city, Santa Cruz and in San Bernardino. The latter property consists of 40 acres of unimproved lands, the value of which was stated at \$20,000. Mrs. Anne Clancy, wife of Eugene A. Clancy, went on Tweetmoe's bond for \$40,000, represented by real estate and improvements in this city.

Before the sureties appeared in the United States District Attorney's office for investment in the assets of the United States. Attorney Ben L. McKinley, a telegram was received from United States District Attorney C. M. Miller of Indianapolis, stating that he did not desire the release of the sureties by the United States District Attorney's office, but that the bonds should be filed before the United States Commissioner directly, as he did not desire the district attorney to take any part in the proceedings.

The remaining sureties were: Mrs. Ellen Vaughan, jointly on the bond of her husband on the preceding day, for \$35,000; Carl F. Hammer and his wife Signe, \$20,000; Carl W. Mueller, \$10,000; William H. Barry, \$5,000; Patrick Connor, \$5,000; James Green, \$5,000. These added to the total of the bonds filed the preceding afternoon foot up to \$143,500. The bonds will be sent to United States District Attorney Miller for approval.

NEW U. S. COURT
TO BE ORGANIZED

Complaints and Petitions of Civil Employees to Be Dealt With.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The creation of a new court to deal exclusively with the complaints and petitions of civil employees of the government is suggested by the National League of Government Employees, which closes its annual convention here today. Steps also were taken to bring into the organization all of the \$80,000 men in the various federal departments, and charters for four new chapters of the organization were issued. The league's strength at present is said to be mainly in the government workers in the navy yards, arsenals, proving grounds, powder stations, customs houses and postoffices.

In advocating the addition of a special tribunal in the judicial system, George L. Cain, of Lynn, Mass., president of the league, stated that such an arbiter, distinct from the Civil Service Commission, was necessary. "The purpose and duties of this court," he said in his annual report, "would be to receive complaints from civilian employees of the government and to act officially on the same in an expeditious manner, according to the law and facts presented by witnesses in an opening hearing."

He would extend to the court jurisdiction over the matter of pay and promotions.

FACTORIES OF COUNTRY
HAVE PROSPEROUS YEAR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Prosperity never before equaled in the history of the country marked the manufacturing industries of the United States last year. The census, taken according to a statement issued today by the Federal Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

The bureau's statisticians based their declarations on the importations of material used in manufacturing and on the movement of domestic materials from the points of production to the factories. Values of materials for manufacturing imported reached the record figures of more than \$925,000,000 during the year.

BLACKHEADS AND
PIMPLES ON FACE

And Neck. Festered and Came to Head. Scratched and Made Sores. Completely Cured with Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment.

P. O. Box 641, Corona, Cal.—"I was riddled with pimples and blackheads on the face and neck and was completely cured with the Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment. The pimples upon my neck and face festered and came to a head. I scratched them and made sores; they hurt while scratching. My face was a mass of pimples and blackheads. I used a good many remedies which gave me no relief. I was scratched about a year before I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Three months' use of the Cuticura Soap with the use of the Cuticura Ointment cured me." (Signed) Clyde E. Spencer, Sept. 25, 1912.

RASH ALL OVER BABY'S BODY
P. O. Box 53, Quilicura, Wash.—"My baby's trouble came as a rash all over her body. Then it came out on her head and face in a red rash. It festered and she could not sleep at night, and it caused discomfort. Her hair fell out and then I had her hair shaved off. I used three boxes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and now she is as free as any baby that never had eczema." (Signed) Mrs. Asaph Butterfield, Aug. 15, 1912.

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION CURED.
"Five years ago I had the worst case of chronic constipation I ever knew of. Chamberlain's Tablets cured me." (Signed) S. F. Fish, Brooklyn, Mich. For sale by all druggists.

TAFT & PENNOYER COMPANY
FORTY DEPARTMENTS
The Shopping Center of Oakland

Large Shipments of New Spring Goods
All Subject to the Ten Per Cent Discount

Spring Shipment of Stylish Shoes on Display

This display includes all the latest styles, lasts and leather innovations direct from the east. The new buckskin leathers in different colors and used in combinations with other leather is a feature. Poppy tan Russia in the new reading toes, high short toes, special vamp effects and many extremely new shoe fashions are other leading points in the collection.

Although but just received these shoes are subject to the TEN PER CENT REDUCTION for the first time in the history of the establishment.

Prices From \$1.80 to \$5.40 on the New Styles.

Arrival of New Evening Silks

See the superb window display of rich crepe silks combined with gold and silver work. These may be had in brocade effects, stripes and figures.

Priced From \$5.00 to \$12.50 the Yard less the 10% Discount.

Many new arrivals in Spring Silks for all purposes, all subject to the prevailing January discounts.

Several New Importations in Spring Dress Goods

Among the newest of the Spring arrivals in dress goods are the following:

AT \$5.00 THE YARD—A 56-inch silk and wool diagonal with fine silk unish two-toned effects of green, brown and grey.

AT \$3.50 THE YARD—56-inch imported silk and wool two-toned whipcords, coming in two-toned illuminated shadings of green, brown and blue.

AT \$1.00 TO \$2.25 THE YARD—46-inch all-wool charmoise, being the newest Spring fabric for dressy costumes. It has a high rich silk finish and is shown in delicate pastel colorings. Green, brown, tan, grey and rose.

All the above subject to ten per cent reduction.

Splendid New Showing of Spring Wash Goods

General attention is called to the finest collection of Spring Wash Goods we have ever exhibited. We show them at all prices. Among the very newest materials for Spring we mention the following:

Embroidered Velour effects in borders, stripes, dots and figures on crepe and voile grounds.

Zig Zag Suitings, one of the late Parisian novelties, in white and two-toned effects.

Flumetis Embroidered Crepes on white grounds with Dresden figures.

Ratine in the plain weaves, grouped stripes, checks and borders.

Poplin Weaves in plain shades and borders.

Crepes of all kinds and description in white and colors.

Linens, plain shades and embroidered designs in natural, white and colors.

Voiles in border effects combined with crepe, ratine and velour.

As to Spring colorings yellow seems to be the correct shade, as well as its variations. Cream, ecru, lemon, blue, pink, green, brown, helio, grey, black and white are also especially strong.

Some New Tailored Models in Millinery

We are in receipt of some twenty of the newest Spring models in tailored Hats. These come in hemp and Milan straws trimmed with wings, quills and silk ornaments and faced with velvet and silk weave combinations.

All the newest shadings, including black and white, are represented.

PRICED FROM \$10.00 to \$15.00. NEW MODELS ARRIVING EVERY DAY.

Spring Waists a Feature

We show some very smart and dainty effects in the latest models in spring waists. Among them are the following:

WAISTS in crepe and voile, high neck and short sleeves, with flared front, coming in plain white and delicate color combinations. PRICED at \$4.85.

WAISTS of heavy wash silk, crepe and chiffon, delicate stripe effects, trimmed with pearl and novelty glass buttons, flared in some instances, any combination of high or low neck, long or short sleeve. Priced at \$5.75 and \$6.75.

All subject to the Ten Per Cent Reduction.

CLAY, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS

MAY SUPPLANT
OLD COMMISSION

The Reform Plan Provides for Unique Changes in Government.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 17.—A bill providing for a unique form of government for Salt Lake City to supplant the present commission form has been introduced in the lower house of the legislature. It provides for the election of a board of directors of 17 at a salary of \$200 a year each.

These directors in reality would be mere guardians of the city's welfare, for active charge of affairs would be in the hands of the five department heads appointed by the directors. The bill provides for the recall.

INSURANCE MAN WAS
ATTACKED, HE DECLARES

RENO, Nevada, Jan. 17.—C. R. McMurray, an insurance man of San Francisco, was attacked in front of a saloon in Sparks and had his shoulder slashed and his clothing cut by Robert McMahon, a fellow insurance agent from Los Angeles, according to the story he told District Attorney Woodburn this afternoon. McMurray said he was engaged in conversation with Audrey J. Heather, a Southern Pacific employee, when he alleged McMahon advanced and, saying that he would show him where he would not be wanted for him. The men came together, exchanging blows, when McMurray asserts, he discovered McMahon was using a knife.

McMurray exhibited his overcoat, cut across the shoulder and also slashed across the breast. A wicked gash was cut just over the heart. Only the books carried in the breast pocket kept the knife from penetrating to the skin. McMurray was also slashed on the leg, the knife cutting a gash through the trousers, which pierced to the skin.

JAPANESE PLANS.
WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, Jan. 17.—Japan is making preparations to improve her commercial relations with the South and Central American republics, in view of the approaching completion of the Panama canal. Count Ryoji Noda, secretary of the Japanese legation in Brazil, arrived here yesterday on a visit on behalf of the Japanese government. He will proceed from here to Maracibo, Venezuela, on a similar mission.

CHRONIC CONSTIPATION CURED.
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BI-MONTHLY MEETING

The regular bi-monthly meeting of the Oakland Central Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held next Monday afternoon at the First Baptist church, corner Jones street and Telegraph avenue. The meeting will begin at 2:30 o'clock and will be essentially a mothers' meeting as the topic under discussion will be "Great Mother."

The principal speakers will be Mrs. Cynthia A. J. Jump and Mrs. Etta Barnard of this city.

COLONEL NOMINATED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—After two hours debate in executive session, the Senate confirmed yesterday the nomination of Colonel Edward J. McClelland of the First Cavalry to be a brigadier-general, vice General Wotherspoon, promoted. No other nominations were confirmed and the Senate adjourned with the understanding that army promotions again would be taken up tomorrow.

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Passage of the Home Rule Bill.

The passage of the Irish home rule bill again emphasizes the stupid obstinacy of British Toryism, its inability to learn and its resolute opposition to changes which are contrary to the ideas and institutions of the past. In the prolonged fight against the bill to give the Irish people complete control of their domestic affairs, the Tories once more illustrated what Walter Bagehot called "the virtues of stupidity." Chief of these virtues is blind refusal to accept the inevitable or to perceive changes in conditions.

During the protracted debates on the home rule bill, the Unionists confined themselves to attacking details of the bill; at no time did they attempt to fairly combat the principle of the measure—all their arguments hinged on the question of expediency. Parliamentary obstruction and parading the ridiculous bugbear of an Orange rebellion in Ulster were the expedients relied upon to defeat the bill. The first was a challenge to progress and the second was a bluff that only treasonable intent could rob of absurdity and was not reasonable because it was empty bluster.

The "Ulster rebellion" became a stock joke in England, yet the Unionist leaders, with that fine old English Tory from Canada, Bonar Law, at their head, professed to regard it as a threatened uprising of the people of the three kingdoms and in solemn speeches encouraged riotous demonstrations obviously staged for political effect. It was all so stupidly transparent that one wonders men posing as statesmen could have believed anybody could be deceived by such expedients.

Nevertheless the Unionist press monotonously asserted that the Liberals were weakening, and that the Methodists of Wales and the Presbyterians of Scotland had heard the Macedonian cry of the Belfast Orangemen. Still nobody was deceived. And so the solemn farce continued. At each stage of the proceedings the Unionists were pushed aside that the progressive element of the British Parliament might go forward. The minority continued to dispute the passage of the Boyne, refusing to come out of the seventeenth century.

The vote on the bill shows the Liberals' lines unbroken. The alarming defections predicted in Tory journals did not occur. The Orange rebellion was not taken seriously. Nobody in Parliament, save the squirearchy and the brewers and distillers, took serious notice of the suggestion that the Ulster Covenant should supersede the British Constitution. The bill was given a majority of 110. It will be rejected by the House of Lords, but a rejection by the House of Lords no longer compels the Commons to appeal to the electorate. The Peers have had their teeth pulled, and the bill will be sent back to the Lords again, and for the third time, and will then become a law regardless of what the Lords may do or say. The world moves, even though the British Tories persist in standing still.

The government parcels post which went into operation at the beginning of the new year is producing good results already. It is giving great satisfaction to the public. It is, moreover, influencing the express companies to materially improve their own service and establish competitive rates in the transportation of small parcels and a multitude of reforms in the whole business of express delivery which they would have scorned to consider before the parcels post was inaugurated. The parcels post is the only genuine business rival the old-time express companies have ever had. With one another the express companies had no difficulty in reaching a mutual agreement as to rates which would be mutually beneficial, but which gave no relief to those who were compelled to patronize them. They cannot enter into any compromises or combinations with the government. It is a new experience to them and they are forced to adapt themselves to the new conditions, or go out of that class of package carrying business handled by the parcels post.

Woodrow Wilson on Conservation.

Out of the cloud of verbiage Woodrow Wilson has recently put upon the market one definite statement stands out clear and distinct. He says reservation is not conservation. He never said a truer thing in his life. In that statement he aligns himself in opposition to the Pinchot theory of conservation by reservation—by forbidding the use of natural resources.

Prevention of use is not rational conservation. It is a dog-in-the-manger policy which does nobody good and holds development in check. That was the trouble with Pinchot. His aim was to withdraw all public lands from entry and settlement and hold them perpetually for the general government, to be exploited in future for the profit of the government without regard to the necessities imposed by local conditions.

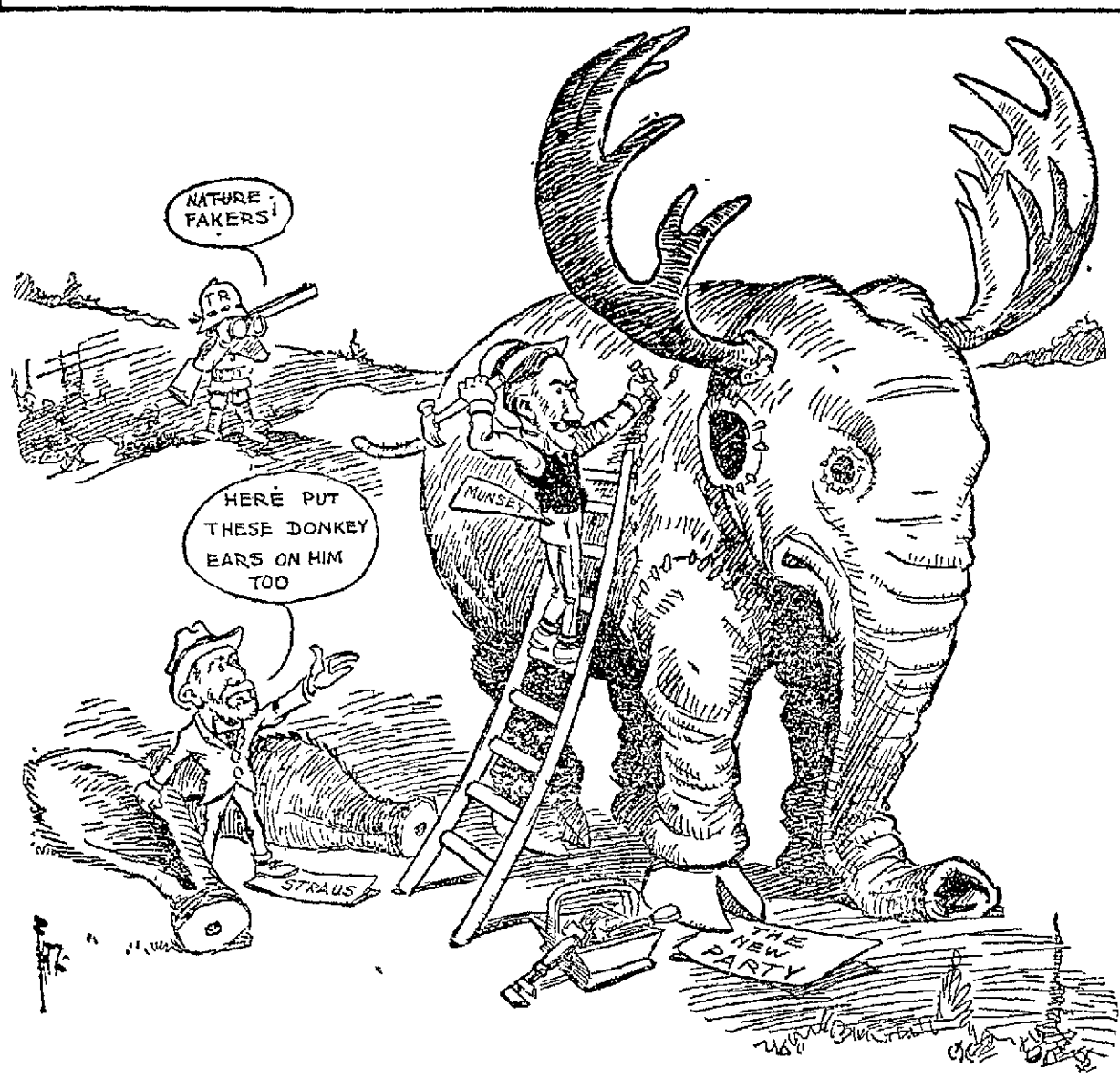
His idea is that all natural resources existing on the public domain should be treated as the property of all the people of the United States, and utilized, if utilized at all, for the profit of the national government. He would withdraw all timber lands, water power sites and coal and oil measures from use till they could be leased or rented out to produce revenue for the government. He would bar the extension of private ownership on any terms. He professed to be fighting monopoly, but the operation of his policy would strengthen monopolies already in existence, and add enormously to the value of power sites and timber and mineral lands already in private hands. The conditions he attempted to prescribe for the utilization of natural resources by government permit were equivalent to a denial of use.

He was so unreasonable that men who were in favor of conservation and opposed to monopoly refused to endorse a policy that placed an embargo on individual enterprise and inflicted hardship on new communities dependent for their growth, and development on the exploitation of natural resources in their vicinity. Conservation is not prima facie a denial of use, but of use without waste or destruction.

Pinchot bawled "land-grabber" and "monopolist" at every man who suggested that reservation was not conservation, or pointed out that it fostered monopoly instead of preventing it. If the President-elect means that he favors a system that will conserve without preventing use, he will prove himself a friend to the Western States. While encouraging private capital to develop the natural resources of the country, he will stop the acquisition of public lands by fraud and illegal device and give competition a fair chance.

We are not quite sure the Rev. Frank Horn of Richmond has not mistaken himself for his blacksheep twin brother.

REVISING THE EMBLEM OF THE PROGRESSIVES



—CHICAGO DAILY NEWS.

Not a Justifiable Kick.

Our Richmond contemporary, the Record-Herald, is somewhat disgruntled because the roster of officials in California, recently issued by Secretary of State Jordan, gives the population of Richmond as 6802. The Record-Herald says Richmond has considerably over 15,000 inhabitants. Our Richmond contemporary is approximately correct, but the only authoritative figures on population in the possession of the Secretary of State are the returns from the Federal census of 1910. He used them in giving the population of every city in the State. Hence he did not discriminate nor underestimate, because he did not give estimates. Of course the figures taken from the Federal census understate the population of nearly every town in the State, but that is not Mr. Jordan's fault and is not an injustice to Richmond any more than to Oakland, Los Angeles or Sacramento. They were the only authentic figures at his command. He could not give estimates and guesses. Had he done so, he would have brought upon his head a storm of wrathful denunciation. Once in the field of guesswork he would be without rudder or compass. Richmond has grown with extraordinary rapidity since the Federal census was taken, but no authentic enumeration has been had since 1910, consequently Mr. Jordan was compelled to use the only population statistics available. When all are treated alike and served out of the same spoon there is no legitimate ground for complaint.

Copious rains in the valleys and heavy snows in the mountains are harbingers of a good crop year and industrial activity. Deep snows in the high Sierra insure an abundance of water for mining, irrigation and the generation of hydro-electric power. Likewise the heavy rains which have fallen in the sections below the snow line insure forage crops and good pasture for stock. Grain will be given such a good start that only a protracted drought can arrest its growth; a few showers in March and April insure an abundant harvest. Orchards and vineyards will be greatly benefited by the thorough soaking the soil has received. The most encouraging feature of the situation is that the whole State has been drenched, and prospects are flattering everywhere. The future is rosy enough in California.

The death of Joseph P. Ord in New York the other day revives the old story that the Ords were the descendants of George IV and Mrs. Fitzherbert. Joseph Ord, the grandfather of Joseph P. Ord, firmly believed it and so did his son and grandson. Dr. Shea, in his history of Georgetown University, speaks of Joseph (?) Ord as "the son of George IV and his lawful wife, Mrs. Fitzherbert." General E. O. C. Ord, a distinguished soldier in the war between the States, was one of the sons of the original Ord. But he did not credit the story of his alleged royal descent, although the other members of his family accepted it without question. There is no record of the birth of child to Mrs. Fitzherbert after her morganatic marriage to George IV, then Prince of Wales. The story has never gained credence in England.

PARRE AND ITS GAYETY

Americans who visit Paris are enchanted by its springtime carelessness, the beauty of its architecture, the naive simplicity of its sociability and its almost childlike naughtiness. It is the city of flowers and beauty, the city of art and culture, and students and writers flock there for education and for atmosphere. Occasionally, however, there springs from the loveliness of the famous city of gayety some scandal of high life or middle life that gives the world another glimpse of Paris. As like as not, an American, unheard of before, is suddenly revealed as the toast of the cafes on the boulevards. A former American chorus girl, or perhaps some divorcee who had disappeared, or a society girl who had been studying "art" turns up as the girl behind the run.

The outward appearance of Paris, which acts as a lure to tourists and epitomizes irresponsible gayety to young American girls and men, covers up a multitude of sins. Persons in the United States frequently wonder what becomes of all the young girls who go to Paris to study for grand opera or for other artistic careers. Of every hundred girls who go to Paris to study for grand opera perhaps one re-

turns as a Mary Garden or Geraldine Farrar. Of every hundred young men who go to Paris to study art one may return as a Barnard or a Gibson. What, then, becomes of them? Some of them acquire a certain fair fortune. If not fame, drawing pictures that illustrate advertisements in the magazines. Some of the girls find their level in the music halls. Some of them return to America and obtain employment at \$18 a week in the chorus of musical comedies. A host of others become part of the underworld of Paris, the vast, deep, sordid underworld which seems so gay on the surface but which is made up of a stream of tears and tragedies. Laughter may be the outer garment of this underworld, but when jealousy or despair pulls the trigger of a gun the snake that coiled away in its lair is the face of Paradise.

So many of these girls have been taken to Paris with hearts full of trust and ambition only to fall by the wayside of temptation. It is only when these stories come to a tragic or near tragic climax that we hear of them. There are thousands whose tales of sadness come to no outward climax and gay Paris naturally trips on its way unheeding—Washington Post.

Twenty Years Ago Today

Miss Lulu Moss and William L. Taylor were quietly married at Blimhurst on Thursday by Rev. G. R. Stanley.

Yesterday afternoon Senator Biggs introduced a bill which provides for cities and counties granting subsidies to competing railroads not yet within the state, but not for those which are already established.

Probably a man never appreciates his wife so clearly as when he wants to use her as an excuse for not going to war. The annual convention of the National Woman Suffrage Association, met in Washington this morning. The meeting was presided over by President Susan B. Anthony, and Vice-President Rev. Anna H. Shaw spoke.

Arrangements for the transfer of the Hopkins' mansion in San Francisco have just about been completed, and within the next few days the property will be turned over to the Board of Regents to be used as a place of exhibit of fine arts. Recitations were resumed at the University this morning. Many of the students have not returned but will return today and tomorrow.

Rev. Dr. Dinsmore of the Hayward Congregational Church has declined the call made by the North Berkeley church. His action is based on the opinion of his physicians, who think that a change would be injurious to his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beazley of San Francisco are with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gray of San Leandro.

The Oakland Athletics and the Pacific Wanderers met in Central Park at San Francisco yesterday and despite rain and mud played one of the best games of the season. Neither side scored.

FREE FAME

Fame is a haubt that cometh with ease. Look at the case of that fire-eating Blows.

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Which is all quite true. In a general sense.

He hath won renown with but little expense.

Yet there's one objection we here must raise—

Though he spells it Blazes, he pronounces it Blaze. —Chicago Tribune.

But whether he calleth it Blazes, Blaze or Blaws.

(Though hardly he'd rhyme with that hated word, "blaws").

Don't think that old Blows cares the smallest we mint.

Just so long as his common figures in print. —New York Sun.

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A DANGEROUS PRINCIPLE

A bill drafted at the instance of the California State Realty Board for the purpose of "regulating" the real estate business, is to be offered at the present session of the Legislature. It provides for a license and registration, and prohibits any person not so licensed from negotiating in any form or manner a realty transaction, or collecting rentals or acting as an agent for a property owner. Under the proposed law a lawyer could not handle his client's real estate business unless he held unlimited power of attorney. A man could not handle his wife's business affairs without holding unlimited authority.

The plea made for the measure is that it would regulate the real estate business and confine its conduct to responsible persons.

The plain fact is that the bill would force the real estate business into the hands of a few big firms and insure a virtual monopoly.

A license and tax will not make any agent who is not competent or honest any more competent or honest.

The failure of an agent to take out a license will not make him any the less competent or honest.

As between the big office and the curbstone, the interests of the parties in a real estate transaction will be attended to properly or improperly according to the character of the man and not the physical character of his office.

One-half of the bills offered in the Legislature are designed to promote the interests of some special class, without reference to their effect on the interests of the general public.

Let any observing man study the bills introduced and see if this is not the truth.

That it is a fact accounts for the few benefits the general public receives from legislation. It accounts for the monopolization of certain professions and businesses. The larger and more successful desire to be insured by law against competition, and to compel public patronage.

The California State Realty Board is doing no more than other lines of business have done. The difference is that the time has arrived when a stop should be made to special legislation. Laws designed to give special recognition to certain lines of business are antagonistic to the spirit of the times. Many of the evils from which American society is suffering are due to the use of legislative bodies as clearing houses for certain lines of business. If the realty board is entitled to recognition and the business it represents to special legislation, then the California Building Trades Council has a right to demand recognition as the sole representative of union labor, and to propose and have passed such laws as will crush the building trades industry in the interest of the unions. —Stockton Record.

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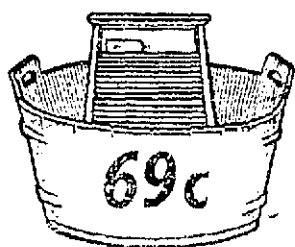
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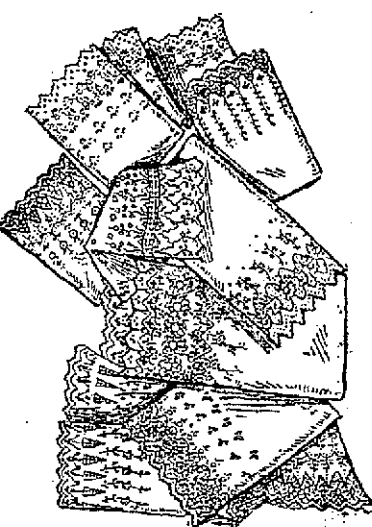


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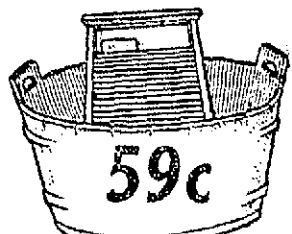
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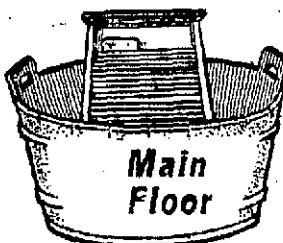
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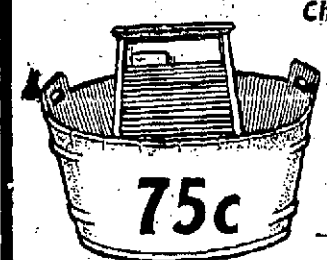


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—Wash play suits of heavy blue denim, or blue and white striped denim with borders of turkey red calico. Covers entire body, 1 to 6 yrs. 75c ea.
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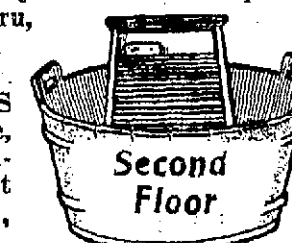


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Of striped gingham, chambray, white Madras, percale, satens, etc. Open sleeves, pearl buttons. "Mother's Friend" and "Cader" Blouses at 50c and 75c. Ages 6 to 16 years.

—SWISSES, brand new, white and washable, in twenty new patterns, with small or large dots, figures, or stripes, 36 inches wide. 10c, 12c, and 15c a yard.
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MAY TELEPHONE ACROSS AMERICA

Long Distance Lines Are Planned From New York to Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The transcontinental long distance telephone lines, with New York as the Eastern terminus and San Francisco and Los Angeles as the Western terminals, are among the extension plans for 1913 of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the successors of the Bell Telephone Company. This important announcement was made by N. C. Kingsbury of New York City,

vice-president of the telephone company, upon his arrival in San Francisco yesterday afternoon.
To bring this early dream of Alexander Graham Bell to a complete realization, two new lines will be constructed from Denver to San Francisco and Los Angeles, and a new line will connect the two Pacific Coast cities. One line is to be strung along the Central Pacific Railroad, and from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles and the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake City road. The connecting of the two lines at Salt Lake City is considered of advantage in case of accident to either of the lines on the section east and west of Salt Lake City. The Pacific Coast will thus be put in instantaneous telephonic communication with Chicago, New York and all the other large cities of the Middle West and the Atlantic seaboard.
According to the statement made by

Kingsbury, work on the proposed lines will be started this year, and will cost upward of \$1,500,000. Kingsbury estimated the cost of a telephone message between San Francisco and New York at from \$15 to \$20.
In discussing this rate estimate, he pointed out that two 3500-mile lines of the best copper wire, weighing 3,500,000 pounds, besides the large equipment of poles, pupine coils, storage stations, etc., would be in use by the patron. He also pointed out that the three hours' difference in time between New York and this city left only about five hours of coincidental talking or office time.
Kingsbury, who is chief of the long-distance and publicity departments of the telephone company, is accompanied by Edward B. Fields Jr., vice-president of the Mountain States Telephone Company, a Bell subsidiary. They are at the St. Francis Hotel, and will return East in three or four days.
Anus Hibbard of New York, also vice-president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and advisor to the executive department, arrived from the

East yesterday and met Kingsbury and Fields at the St. Francis Hotel. Hibbard said he was here on a routine inspection trip, taken on account of the illness of President Veil. He is accompanied by Mrs. Hibbard, and will remain in California several weeks.
WELL KNOWN DOCTOR DIES IN HOSPITAL
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Dr. Wilfred Nelson, who died at the Hudson-street Hospital, was a well known figure to old New Yorkers. For twenty years he was house physician of the Astor House. He went to the hospital last week afflicted with heart trouble.
Dr. Nelson's father was Wilfred Nelson, a leader in the unsuccessful French-Canadian insurrection of 1837, known as the Papineau rebellion. The elder Nelson was in charge of the revolutionary activities in Ontario. His wife was Fred-erica de Long, daughter of James de Long of San Francisco.

PLEADS INSANITY IN ROBBERY CASE

Wells Lounsberry Convicted of Holding Up Mail Car.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 17.—Wells Lounsberry of Medford, Ore., who last August robbed a mail car on a Union Pacific overland train between Kansas City and Lawrence, Kas., was found guilty today in the federal court. The verdict was returned on one count. According to the instructions of the court each count calls for

a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary. Sentence was deferred. The plea of the defense was insanity.
Lounsberry held up six mail clerks, forcing one to bind the others and blindfold them. After rifling the registered mail sacks he stepped off the train at Lawrence, boarded it again a moment later and hid in a Pullman berth, where he was captured.
SLUGGED AND ROBBED BY YOUTHFUL THUGS
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Daniel Buckley, who lives at Redwood Park, San Mateo county, was slugged and robbed by two youthful highwaymen on the pavement at 3 o'clock this morning. The assault occurred at Twenty-fifth and Alabama streets. Buckley had missed the last San Mateo car and was on his way to Mission street to take an owl car downtown. The footpads had been lurking in a vacant lot and when Buckley passed

one of them struck him over the head, demanding his money. He refused and started to run, whereupon both began beating him. Finally he fell to the sidewalk and the pair went through his pockets, taking \$40. A police officer took him to the Mission Emergency hospital, where he was treated for lacerated wounds of the face and head and several bruises.
RUSSIAN-AMERICAN SOCIETY IS ORGANIZED
MOSCOW, Russia, Jan. 17.—A Russo-American society was formed here today for the purpose of cultivating mutual conditions among the people of the two countries, to further trade relations and to arrange an exchange of visits. The initiative in the matter was taken by Consul-General John H. Snodgrass. Professor Ewan Christoforovich Czeroff of the University of Moscow and Professor David N. Colovnin of the Agricultural Institute.



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FRUITGROWER IS FREED OF CHARGE OF MURDER

TAMPA, Fla., Jan. 17.—V. C. Nichols, an American fruit grower, whose liberation from jail was effected last September by Ambassador Wilson by a direct demand on the Governor of the State of Tampa, was declared not guilty yesterday by the Supreme Court of the charge of murder made against him.

Nichols was alleged to have murdered a bandit he had captured and was taking to jail. He was sentenced to eight years imprisonment, notwithstanding the confession of a Mexican that he was the slayer of the bandit and had killed the man to get the reward.

STOPPING OF DUELS STILL PROVES PUZZLE

BEIJING, Jan. 17.—The Federal Council has been debating for some time the resolution of the Reichstag adopted in May, 1912, calling upon the Imperial Chancellor to put an end to dueling in the army.

His decision, which was presented to the Reichstag yesterday, is tantamount to a refusal to do anything. It declares that measures for putting an end to dueling can only be adopted when they apply to all classes and seem likely to effect a change in the universal views in regard to safeguarding honor. It will be recalled that the Kaiser was severely scored for his stand on this matter.

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REFEREE FILES REPORT IN CASE

Kreft Gives Facts Discovered in Continental Association Investigation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Referee in Bankruptcy Armand B. Kreft filed his report yesterday in the United States District Court in the matter of the involuntary bankruptcy proceedings instituted against the Continental Building and Loan Association by certain of its creditors. The referee finds that the association was not insolvent at the time of the alleged commission of the acts of bankruptcy charged by the petitioners.

The report will be presented to the Judge of the United States District Court this morning for approval. If the report is approved the bankruptcy proceedings will be dismissed, and the matter will come once more before the Bank Commissioner.

In defining the status of the association the referee says: "The term 'corporate co-partnership,' in my opinion, correctly describes the nature of these associations. If such an association loses money there is no source from which such losses may be made good. The loss is the loss of the member. Answering the claim of the members who have not given notice of withdrawal or whose stock has not matured and hold only contingent claims, I have to say that none but members of the association have any claim to its property or money. All the corporation possesses it owes to its members. All of its funds are owing, although not due; and each member has an absolute claim for his proportionate share of the assets, and there is no distinction as to this claim between principal and profits. It all belongs to, and is owing to the members. The claims of the members, therefore, are not contingent, although most of the claims are not due. There is no independent stock of this association. Its capital stock consists of the dues paid by its members.

"If, under the law, withdrawal value is to be figured on profits actually apportioned, then the association is insolvent to the extent of at least \$18,237.74. The referee, however, finds that for the purpose of determining solvency the withdrawal value must be computed on profits actually existing, not profits erroneously declared, and as this association has a profit of approximately \$77,448.65 over and above the amount necessary to pay all its outside creditors and all the principal paid in by its members, as a conclusion of law I find that the alleged bankruptcy at the time of the legal commission of the acts of bankruptcy charged was solvent, and has not committed the acts of bankruptcy charged."

FAVOR MOVEMENT TO REINSTATE OFFICER

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Joseph Elliot Austin, former midshipman in the United States Navy, dropped from the service in San Francisco, February 14, 1909, because he married without permission from the Secretary of the Navy, may be reinstated in the service, the House committee on naval affairs having favorably reported on a bill authorizing the President to reinstate the former officer as an ensign.

Austin could find no regulation prohibiting a midshipman to marry without special permission, nor did brother officers of the United States steamship South Dakota know of any. Austin's marriage was not kept secret in any way, fellow officers attending the service, going ashore for that purpose, with the permission of the commanding officer of the ship. Austin, when the South Dakota reached San Francisco, was dropped from the service.

STOLEN PIGEON RETURNS

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Policeman Harris of the Fifth-avenue, Brooklyn, police station, early yesterday morning, halted two boys carrying a heavy bag. The boys ran off, leaving the bag. It contained 22 pigeons. The pigeons were taken to the police station. Detective-Lieutenant Fay wrote a note asking the owner to call at the station house, tied it to a leg of one of the pigeons and turned the bird loose.

Within an hour Albert Louis, 230 Prospect avenue, appeared and claimed the birds. He said the carrier had flown right home with the note.

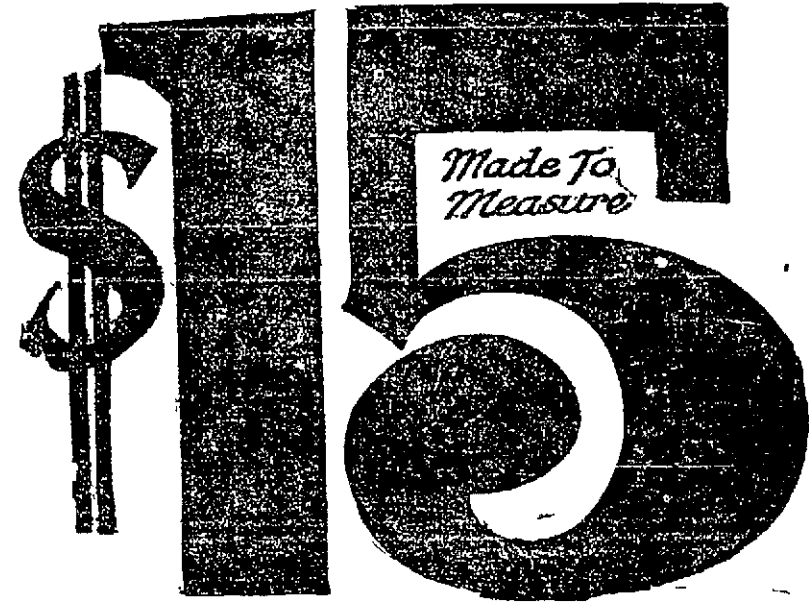
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SCORES DEMOCRATS FOR ARMY ACTION

"Playing Politics" Is Accusation Made in House by Kahn's Speech.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Representative Kahn yesterday in the House debate on the army appropriation bill scored the Democrats for "playing politics with army affairs." He called attention to a recent publication which showed that under the seven-year enlistment regulations enlistments on the Pacific coast have greatly decreased, and the publication of this story, he said, had caused him to make an investigation of the records since the seven-year regulation became effective.

In November and December, 1911, before the seven-year term was adopted, there were 7,000 enlistments. In the same months in 1912, under the long-term regulation, there were only 3,500 enlistments, a decrease of 50 per cent.

Kahn called attention to the fact that there is now a deficit of \$2,300,000 in the pay of the army caused by the Democratic House at the last session cutting the appropriations in this bill. This, he declared, Kahn was done solely for the effect it would have on the country as an "economy policy" before the election. He declared that at that time he had predicted there would be a deficiency in the pay rolls of the army of \$2,300,000. The Democrats failed to make reply to Kahn's criticisms.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Criticism of the army officers of this country and the army in general by Representative Helm of Kentucky marked the consideration of the army appropriation bill in the House yesterday. Helm charged that the officers of the army were inefficient and incapable of performing the duties expected of them.

"I doubt very much if there is an officer in the army today who, in the line of battle, could direct the fire of that line," he declared. The measure had progressed so far as the provision for the pay of the officers when Representative Helm opened fire. He said that the officers were jealous, touchy and had to be handled with care, and charged that they had entered into a contest to see which one could get the most out of the army appropriation bill.

Representative Hay of Virginia, chairman of the committee having the bill in charge, resented these statements, and declared that never had the California State Association of army had been unable to withstand. Representative Mondell of Wyoming also upheld the efficiency of the officers.

An amendment offered by Representative Hay creating the office of "personal aid" to the President went out on a point of order. The measure is still under consideration when the House adjourned.

TO HOLD BANQUET. WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Its annual "Panama-Pacific International Exposition" banquet will be held by the California State Association of the Pacific Coast on the night of February 4. Representative Baker will act as toastmaster. The banquet will also be in celebration of the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo.

MARSHALL BLACK TO PLEAD GUILTY

Accused Embezzler Decides to Ask for Mercy of the Court.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 17.—Marshall Black has decided to abandon his technical fight for liberty. He will plead guilty and throw himself on the mercy of the court. This fact was learned last night from a source that cannot be questioned. Black, it is said, has realized for some time that the evidence against him was so overwhelming that conviction is practically certain, and the only result of a fight for freedom would be to prolong his stay in jail.

The former state senator and embezzling secretary of the Palo Alto Building and Loan Association, in a statement to a friend a day or two ago said: "I would plead guilty at once and throw myself on the mercy of the court but for the instance of my attorney against that course."

Since then Black has come to the conclusion that he is waging a bootless war against fate and has decided to surrender. Black's total shortage, according to the prosecuting officers, is not less than \$150,000. It is known that \$104,000 has been definitely traced to him.

DID NOT MAKE SPEECH, SAYS ROOT

It Was Printed, But Not Delivered, Explains Angry Senator.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Senator Root, rising to a question of personal privilege in the Senate yesterday, entered vigorous denial that he ever made a speech he is alleged to have delivered regarding relations between the United States and Central and South American countries. The speech has been printed in a paper in Tegucigalpa, Honduras, and is now being circulated throughout the Latin American republics, said Senator Root, "to stir up strife and create ill-feeling against the United States."

"The extracts of the purported speech which are being published," declared Senator Root, "are impudent forgeries. I never said any such thing or wrote any such thing. The publication is being used by the enemies of the United States, and I desire to repeat in most formal and public manner my denial of the views attributed to me."

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HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME

Society

SOCIETY is taking a final whirl of gaiety before settling down to the quiet days of Lent, when large affairs and elaborate weddings are taboo for the smart set. Lent comes early this year, so we may look for an unusually gay and interesting spring before the flittings of the summer.

Among the large affairs which will make bright the days before the penitential season will be several receptions, among which the most notable are those to be given by Mrs. Frank Havens, Mrs. John F. Connors, Mrs. Percival Walker and Mrs. Frank M. Butler.

Mrs. Havens will receive at "Wildwood" on the afternoon of February 1 in honor of her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Havens, who was the beautiful Miss Estelle Houston. About four hundred cards have been sent for the afternoon.

Mrs. Connors has asked several hundred society folk of the bay cities on the afternoon of Thursday, January 30, to meet Miss Louise Connors. The affair will be given at Mrs. Connors' handsome home in the Crocker Highlands.

Mrs. Percival Walker's reception will be given in the ivory ballroom of the Hotel Oakland on the next day, and about a hundred have been bidden to share Mrs. Walker's hospitality for the occasion.

The reception given by Mrs. Frank M. Butler will be on the afternoon of January 24. It will be in honor of Miss Bronson, the charming fiancée of her son, and will be of an informal nature, though several hundred guests have been asked.

RETURN FROM ORIENT.

Miss Emma Mahoney will return from the Orient on the Chgo Maru today, and with her sister, Miss Louise Mahoney, will make her home at the new Hotel Colonial in San Francisco. These popular members of society will be warmly welcomed by their many friends on both sides of the bay.

TRAVELERS IN MANILA.

Miss Florence Selby and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ralston, who left here for a tour of the Orient some time ago, just returned from Manila about a month ago, and are at present being entertained in the island city.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

A pleasant surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Egan, at their residence, 1211 Haskell street, Berkeley, recently, in honor of the first anniversary of their marriage. Instrumental and vocal music formed a portion of the evening's pleasure, which was concluded with a supper.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nedderman, Mr. and Mrs. Al Williams, Mr. and Mrs. George Egan, Mr. and Mrs. George Ingram, Mrs. Mary Tobin, Mrs. Dorothy Pullman, Mrs. Jennie Mulford, Mrs. Millie Heckman, Lloyd Brandt, George Moir and William Spohn.

KEY ROUTE DANCE.

The Key Route Inn will give a ball Saturday night in the ball room of the hotel for the pleasure of its guests and their friends.

VISITORS IN SACRAMENTO.

Miss Emmeline and Miss Helen Parsons of Hayward are being entertained in Sacramento by Miss Eleanor Baldwin. They went up to attend the bridge party given Saturday evening by their hostess in honor of Miss Corinne Dillman.

DEBUTANTE DINNER.

Miss Dorothy Capwell, one of the season's most popular debutantes, was the guest of honor at a dinner and card party given at the Carlton Hotel in Berkeley last night by Miss Frances Capwell. Miss Capwell, who recently returned from a European tour and was honored at a dinner by Miss Capwell before the last Friday Night Assembly. The guests last night included Miss Margaret Morbio, Miss Margaret Byler, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley W. Kergan.

TO GIVE INITIAL DANCE.

The Entre Nous Club will give its initial dance at the Home Club tomorrow night. The ballroom has been decorated with garlands of evergreens and autumn leaves and it is expected that the first ball of the club will prove a delightful success. The young women members of the club have been hostesses at several enjoyable card evenings during the fall and winter, and card tables will be furnished.

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MISS MAYBELLE CLARK, A POPULAR GIRL OF THE YOUNGER SET OF OAKLAND.—Hartsok Photo.

ished at tomorrow night's affair for those who do not care to dance.

The members of the club are Miss Bessie Beatty, Miss Helen Carlson, Miss Gertrude Collier, Miss Kathleen Donahue, Miss Leora Houghton, Dr. Gertrude Moore, Miss Emma Miller, Miss Edna O'Neill, Miss Charles Ray and Miss Ethel Rowell.

The patrons and patronesses are Judge and Mrs. William H. Donahue, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Pond, Dr. Pauline Nishnaum, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Crittenden and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Donahue.

BRIDGE CLUB ACROSS THE BAY.

Miss Laura Peakes will entertain the members of a bridge club at her home in San Francisco next Monday afternoon. The club is composed of a number of girls of the younger society set. Among them are:

Miss Dorothy Capwell, Miss Phyllis Lovell, Miss Lila Lovell, Miss Edith McCall, Miss Edith Peakes, Miss Dorothy Dean, Miss Elsie Osborne, Miss Margaret Morbio, Miss Alice Raisch.

SEMINOLE DANCE TONIGHT.

The fifth annual ball of the Seminole Club will be an elaborate event of this evening at the Hotel Oakland. It will be a large event than ever this year, and the younger set in society is on tiptoe with keen expectancy of a delightful time. It is expected that about three hundred and fifty, representing social circles on both sides of the bay, will attend. The response to the invitations has been promptly in the affirmative in almost all cases, and the members are anticipating the most successful affair ever managed by the club.

The beautiful ivory ballroom will be decorated with only a few choice flowers. In keeping with its elegant simplicity, the smaller reception room will be filled with flowers and soft green ferns. After the dance an elaborate supper will be served in the dining room to the club members and their guests. George Palahy is the chairman of the committee in charge, which has been appointed by Roy M. Reed, the president of the club. The guests will be received by a committee of young men who will look after their comfort and enjoyment. A new feature has been added by the naming of several young men to sit out each dance for the purpose of making sure there are no wallflowers. If such things could occur at a Seminole Club affair.

WEDDING IN SPRINGTIDE.

The details of the wedding of Miss Marjorie Morse and Edmund Griffiths have not yet been arranged, but it will be an event of the spring. A number of interesting affairs have been arranged to honor the popular society maid between now and then. Miss Morse is the daughter of George H. Morse, a retired capitalist, and their home is at the beautiful "Glenholm Place" in Fruitvale. The bride-to-be recently returned from Europe with her father and sister, Miss Carrie Morse. Griffiths is the son of Howard Griffith, a Griffiths and Mrs. Griffiths of this city.

DANCE AT ST. FRANCIS.

The Spartan Club of San Francisco is planning to hold an elaborate dance at the Hotel St. Francis during the month of February. The club has been organized two seasons, and numbers many young men of society circles among its members.

BRIDGE FOR MISS STANTON.

Miss Camille Adams will be hostess to about twenty-four friends on the afternoon of Thursday, January 23, at her home on Telegraph avenue. The affair, which will be of an informal nature, will be in honor of Miss Marjorie Stanton of San Francisco, whose marriage to Arnold Weber of Berkeley will take place in March. Bridge will occupy the afternoon.

BRIDGE YESTERDAY.

Mrs. George Wheaton and her sister, Miss George Wheaton, were hostesses at an elaborate bridge party yesterday at their home in Piedmont. Among the guests were many members of the local smart set, and at the conclusion of the game pretty trophies rewarded the winners.

This is one of a series of affairs being planned by these delightful hostesses.

DANCING PARTY.

An informal dancing party was given last night by Miss Marion Rodolph at her home in East Oakland. About forty guests were asked and the dance was followed by an informal supper.

CARDS FOR MISS SADLER.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Farmer of Berkeley have sent out cards for the evening of January 30, when they will entertain for Miss Esther Sadler, whose marriage to Robert Flane of Independence, Iowa, will take place January 30. The evening will be devoted to cards, followed by dancing. About thirty-five guests have been asked. The members of Mrs. Farmer's bridal party will assist her in receiving her guests. They are Miss Esther Sadler, the guest of honor, Miss Lucy Phillips, Miss Lela McKibben, Miss Alice Porterfield, Miss Edith Carew and Miss Margaret Witter.

BRIDGE FOR TRAVELER.

Mrs. Sidney Haslett of Alameda entertained a dozen friends this afternoon at a small informal bridge party in honor of Mrs. Arthur Brown, who, with her husband and her daughter, Miss Leslie Brown, will leave soon for a trip to Honolulu.

LUNCHEON YESTERDAY.

An elaborate luncheon yesterday was presided over by Mrs. Samuel Haslett at her home in the Ethel City Club. Twelve covers were laid for the guests and the table was charmingly decked with pink carnations and delicate ferns. An hour of music was enjoyed after the luncheon.

ALUMNI TO DANCE.

The Alumni Association of Phi Epsilon Chapter, Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity, will give one of the largest dances of the season at the Hotel Oakland tomorrow night. The spacious ballroom will furnish a handsome setting for the affair, to which several hundred guests have been bidden.

The hosts are old-time students of the Oakland High School, who are now nearly all college students. Many guests from the University will add a feeling of college spirit to the jolly festivity. An elaborate supper will be served to the young people after the dancing.

A number of society matrons will aid the young men in receiving their guests. Among them will be Mrs. L. C. Williams, Mrs. B. L. Sargent, Mrs. T. C. Petray, Mrs. J. N. Potter, Mrs. E. C. Bridgeman, Mrs. J. M. Holden, Mrs. William Ball.

Among the members of the younger set who will attend are: Miss Pauline Adams, Miss Gertrude Adams, Miss Doris Badgley, Miss Mignon De Neuf, Miss Pearl Cawton, Miss Elva Mueser, Miss Helen Brock, Miss Margaret Bozeaux, Miss Mildred Manuel, Miss Genevieve Hough, Miss Edna Wilson, Miss Elva Gharrell, Miss Grace Bradford, Miss Helen High, Miss Evelyn Outram, Miss Pauline Chamberlain, Miss Elia Schrock, Miss Carmen Gharrell, Miss Alice Stone, Miss Marjorie Waldron, William Allender, Earl Brock, William Wilson, Raymond Hanley, Harold Baxter, Clinton Worden, Horace Hixon, Charles Downey, George Daniels, Frank Hall, Grayson McKee.

FAMOUS EXPLORERS GUESTS OF HONOR

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—Three of the world's foremost polar explorers—Captain Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the South Pole; Admiral Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, and Lieutenant Sir Ernest Shackleton—were guests of honor at a reception by the Arts Club here last night.

Prominent among other guests was Amos Donnell of Philadelphia, the last surviving member of the Ellisha Kent Kane Arctic expedition, which went in search of Sir John Franklin's ill-fated party in 1856. Donnell is 84 years old.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

"HEAD-HUNTERS" WERE VERY HARMLESS

They Were Only Peaceable Old Moros After All, Is Ascertained.

THEIR FAIR RESIDENTS OF Southern California, who returned yesterday from the Orient on the Chgo Maru, met with a near adventure while touring the Philippines, which they are still talking about. At the time they were very much frightened, believing they were the victims of the blood-thirsty head hunters, but they now laugh the incident off as an imaginary fight, reminding one of the Legend of Sleepy Hollow, only in this case it wasn't a headless rider, but a dark-skinned Moro with a gleaming bolo who caused the scare.

The principals in the story are Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mrs. G. B. Foster and Miss Ruth Stowell, according to their fellow passengers and their own admissions. The ladies were members of a party which set out from Manila on an automobile trip into the interior of Luzon. Their host, an American mining man with large interests in the islands, had related to them terrible tales of the atrocities of the head hunters until the ladies felt pretty much like children awakened suddenly in the night after a ghostly story party.

It did not require much imagination on their part to see themselves victims of the head hunters when the headlights of the automobile revealed a pair of half-naked Moros in the narrow road which the machine was traversing.

"After all the horrible tales we had heard," said one, "we thought our end had come when we spotted the natives in the road. They seemed to be brandishing their creases, and we were frozen with horror. And then we discovered that they were merely a couple of old Moros making their way from their native village into Manila."

Mrs. Cox recently figured in a romantic double wedding in Manila. She was formerly Miss Ruby Bryant of Santa Rita, and went out to the islands a year ago to marry Cox, an old schoolmate, and at the time connected with the government forestry service in the Philippines. On the same steamer was Miss Helen Marwin of New York, who was going out to Manila also to wed Gertrude H. Schuller, an engineer. The prospective brides became fast friends during the voyage across the Pacific, and a day after their arrival in Manila they took part in a double wedding.

Both Have Two Hearts

EASTON, Pa., Jan. 17.—A case, said by physicians to be the first in medical science, was discovered here yesterday by Dr. James A. Morgenstern, when he was called to the residence of Barton Perkins to attend one of the children who was suffering from smallpox. The case was an unusually severe one, and the physician made a minute examination. When he placed his hand on the right side of the child's chest he was amazed to find a heart beating there, and a moment later was astonished to find another heart on the left side.

It led him to request Mrs. Perkins to allow an examination of herself and the other children, and the physician found that not only the child, but the mother and two other children in the family each had two hearts.

Yesterday, accompanied by several of the leading physicians of the city, another visitor was paid to the house, when Dr. Morgenstern's discovery was confirmed. Mrs. Perkins, with her children, are apparently normal in all other respects.

Years on Stage

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Bessie McCoy, the Yama Yama Girl, returning to the stage, declared that she was turning her back on the objections of her novelist husband, Richard Harding Davis, whom she married a few months ago.

At her Mount Kisco home she announced: "I shall work only a short season each year. But I cannot grant my husband's request to stay at home and be a wife."

Mr. Davis said: "I am much opposed to Mrs. Davis returning to the stage, but I am helpless."

The dancer and the novelist were married last summer, and after the first Mrs. Richard Harding Davis secured a divorce.

Bars Titled Paupers

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—There is no comfort for helpless hunters in the will of the late Homer Laughlin, filed yesterday. The unmarried daughter's share of the \$173,000 estate is so tied up that no one but the executor, H. H. Rogers, need turn his blasé eyes to appease his creditors.

Beautiful Miss Gwendolyn Virginia Laughlin is left half of the fortune and the mansion, but a clause in the will provides "that no part of the share of the daughter shall ever be subject to the control of any husband," and the testament further declares that Miss Laughlin's fortune shall never be used to pay any husband's debts.

Laughlin, during all his lifetime despised men unwilling to make their own way in the world, and often expressed a strong contempt for Europeans who seek wealthy American girls for wives. He refused to admit that such marriages are profitable to the United States.

Leaves Fiancee Coin

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 17.—The will of Thomas Otto Phillips, who died a few weeks ago at Harrodsburg, where he had been spending a few days with a relative while en route from this city to Lexington, was probated in the county court here.

Phillips left to Miss Bessie Brown of Harrodsburg, to whom he was engaged at the time of his death, \$10,000, and to Jerry Kahn, formerly connected with Phillips in business, bequest of \$500. Joseph and Phil Hundley are given \$2,000 each and Miss Julia Hundley \$1,000. The two children of John B. Phillips are given \$500, and the residue of his estate is bequeathed to Mr. Phillips' sister, Mrs. J. N. Hundley.

Phillips was a son of the late J. G. Phillips and was one of the best known young men in Lexington.

Evelyn Thaw Penniless

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of Harry K. Thaw, through

BEAUTY'S FATAL GIFT

By LILLIAN RUSSELL

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BEAUTY has its dangers and drawbacks as well as its advantages. Its chief danger is flattery, frivolous admiration and temptation. Beauty renders a woman open to seductions which the less favored ones never dream of, and even the purest soul is dazzled by glittering enticements. Sometimes nature is in her best mood and produces a woman exceptionally lovely in mind, morals and person. Such a woman is endowed with equal powers to call for homage and to resist its reflex influences. The tendency of all adulation, called out by material attributes such as beauty and wealth, is to make the possessor vain, imperious, selfish and licentious. Few women are gifted with stalwart integrity which combines beauty, popularity and guilelessness, that no power can induce to depart from her simple instinct of innocence or pervert her sentiment of innate dignity.

In the practice, however, of keeping firm hold on one's own balance and integrity it would be wise not to run to the extreme of assuming a silly reluctance for appreciation and admiration. Graces which win the acclaim of a nation are never intended to be hidden in retirement, nor should they shun recognition. The pleasure they give, the praise they evoke, cultivate the inclination for aesthetics, as do beautiful surroundings and awakens in men and women the latent sense of the sublime. But even while the attentions that beauty stimulates expand the poetic faculties the happy victim is subject to equivocal courtesies which plainer woman might deem offensive. However, all beauty is made more beautiful by accepting gallantries with innocence that picks no flaw in motive but tends to convert the world-be lover into a devoted friend. Remember, beauty is a boon that should be utilized as any other of God's gifts.



LILLIAN RUSSELL.
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stamped addressed envelope I shall be glad to mail you the formula.

"L. P.—The best way to stimulate the growth of the eyebrows is to brush them gently night and morning. Small brushes for this purpose are sold in the drug shops. Should you live where these little accessories of the toilet are not available, then buy a baby's tooth brush and use that instead. A drop of some good nourishing tonic should then be gently pressed over the brows. If you will send me a note with a stamped addressed envelope asking for the recipe I shall gladly send you the tonic for eyebrows. This is a splendid tonic, and I have used it with success. After applying the tonic start a little pinching movement, beginning at the corners and working toward the nose. Take a little pinch of flesh between the thumb and first finger and mass the little hairs in a line through the center. This treatment arches the brows and keeps the hair where it should grow. The tonic nourishes the follicles and keeps the hair glossy and fine. As the eyebrows become heavier they will appear darker.

Answers to Queries

Y. R.—Yeast measurements are very good and I would not try to make my waist any smaller if I were you. Many people would, but that is foolish. Are you careful that your throat is wrapped up when going out? It is probably sensitive, and if it bothers you I would advise you to see your family physician.

SARAH—Fresh buttermilk or lemon juice is good for removing freckles. It is a mild bleach and will not hurt the skin. If the freckles are stubborn and will not submit to this treatment send me a stamped addressed envelope and I shall be glad to send you a stronger bleach for freckles. Dark circles under the eyes usually indicate some internal trouble. They are sometimes caused from eye strain, lack of sleep, dissipation of any kind, anaemia, and sometimes they are hereditary. The external treatment can only be temporary, while the internal causes exist. Bath frequently with cold water and use friction. Massage under the eyes with a good skin food, but do this very gently and do not press on the eyeball. I shall also send you a lotion which will remedy an oily skin and formula for the hair tonic.

F. H. G.—There is nothing better for dry, cracked and chapped lips than a good cold cream rubbed into the lips when retiring. This will soften them and make them smooth. If you will inclose a

SCHOOL AND PLAYGROUND

HONORS ARE WON BY GRADUATES OF O. H. S.

According to a statistical report regarding the standing of the freshmen classes of the high schools of this city, Berkeley, Alameda and San Francisco, Professor Thomas of the University of California has given the Oakland High School the second place in the scholarship records made by the University of California. Lowell High School in San Francisco has the first.

Upon investigation, it was found that the work of the graduates from the public schools as compared with those from the private schools, ranked higher, especially the work of the high schools around the bay. The private schools making the highest records have represented principally the bay cities.

Oakland High School has made up in the athletic prowess at the State University. Berkeley has been bested by two other schools. They are Lowell and the Manual Training and Commercial High School, Berkeley High School is fourth in the list. Fremont High School is sixth, having been defeated by the Girls' High School of San Francisco.

The figures made public by Professor Thomas are made according to the percentage, the lowest denotes the highest scholarship:

Lowell	2.16
Oakland	2.21
Oakland Poly.	2.28
Berkeley	2.30
Girls' High School (S. F.)	2.35
Fremont	2.57
Mission	2.59
Alameda	2.60
San Francisco Poly.	2.66

O. H. S. SENATE TO ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The semi-annual election of officers of the Oakland High School Senate will be held next Tuesday at the final meeting of the semester. Two tickets are in the field with candidates and many others are to run independently.

Among the candidates who are out for the various positions are the following: For president, Clinton Gordon and Harold Nold; vice-president, Howard Schaeffer, Valde Clark and Charles Adams, secretary, Harold Appleton, Preston Snook and Andrew Hastings; treasurer, Athol Ryker and Robert Stoops and Raynor Gimbal; debating manager, Harold Pike, John Gray and Edwin Meese; council representative, Howard Schaeffer, Howard Nold, Gordon and Harold Nold; and Ralph McIntyre; sergeant-at-arms, Gordon Boyes, Frank Ryan and Seaver Hamilton.

The newly elected officials will be installed at the Oakland High School on Tuesday. Her attorney, John Reilly, confessed in the city court yesterday that she is penniless and therefore is unable to stand the expense of a second trial of the suit of Gordon and Nold, jewelers, to recover \$204.59 worth of jewelry purchased by her while her husband was in the Tombs, awaiting his second trial for the killing of Stanford White.

TO MAKE DEBUT AS PERFORMER



LEONA SCHULTZ.

In a number of dancing specialties, Leona Schultz, a graceful juvenile performer, will appear in an entertainment to be given by the pupils of Miss Daisy Wright in the early part of March. Many of her pupils will make their bow upon that occasion.

During the winter season Leona will contribute her talent to a number of charitable functions. Often she has taken part in dramas given by professional companies, where she created an impression among the actor-folk. Her originality and aptness as a student of dancing has been praised and has won her a reputation among the theatrical people.

OAKLAND MUSEUM LECTURES TO BE RESUMED

Children of the public schools are rejoicing over the announcement that the lectures upon natural and colonial history will be resumed in the Oakland Museum with the opening of the spring semester in the local schools. Mrs. D. W. de Vries, assistant curator of the museum, will conduct the courses, which is being arranged for the purpose of interesting hundreds of boys and girls in historical subjects, which are displayed in the museum.

During the past two years the youngsters have taken advantage of the talks which have awakened much enthusiasm in the youngsters, the oriental and the people of all the nations. The students in all the classes of the grammar schools have visited the museum. Since the institution threw its doors open to the public, the boys and girls have been among its chief patrons.

In the children's department of the museum many historical acquisitions have been added, which have attracted considerable attention among the youngsters. Through arrangements with the board of education the various classes in the elementary schools have been permitted to attend the museum at scheduled hours. From 30 to 40 pupils attend the lectures in an afternoon. The visits are made gladly and the children are at liberty to enter the museum after school hours.

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Just received, a new and exceptionally fine lot of Women's Mixture Coats. We were fortunate to buy them at a great reduction. These coats were made to sell for \$20.00. All colors. They go into the Clearance Sale at **\$10.95**

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PARCEL POST IS WELL PATRONIZED

9962 Packages Handled in the
Local Postoffice in Last
12 Days.

"There has been an increase of three times in the volume of business during the last week," said Postmaster Paul Schaefer this morning when asked about the progress of the parcel post.

A record of the business of twelve working days, between January 1 and 15 shows that 1211 local packages were delivered. The incoming packages were 751, making a total of 9962 packages handled. It has been found necessary to add another motor delivery wagon for the local service and this will be put into service on Monday. The average weight of the packages was one and one-half pounds.

THIS WEEK IS
THE HORSES'
WEEK
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OLD MT. EDEN HOTEL BURNS

Fifty Japanese Flee for Their
Lives From Flaming
Structure.

MT. EDEN, Jan. 17.—Fifty Japanese were rendered homeless when the old Mt. Eden Hotel, used as a Japanese lodging-house, was burned. The alarm was sent to Hayward and the fire department of that city and a large number of the residents went to the rescue.

Linemen from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company were rushed to the scene to save the power wire that leads past the building. Several Japanese narrowly escaped death when the alarm was given they rushed out in night attire, and a number had to be aroused from bed.

All the belongings of the lodgers were destroyed. A poolroom on the ground floor and several outhouses were also burned. The damage is estimated at between \$3000 and \$4000, partly covered by insurance. It is the intention of the Japanese to build a more commodious hotel. Among those who worked to save the building was Fred Starr of Hayward, who took the fire fighting apparatus out with his auto.

DOG GUARDED WRONG MACHINE

CHASED OWNER AS THE "THIEF"



Round and round the block flew William Campbell's automobile, containing his family. Finally Campbell hit upon an application. The machine sped, and the bulldog sped. It reminded one of the old country "run round the block" couple. "Round the block and round the block," he said, "where she stops nobody knows." Campbell did not know where he was going to stop, but he did know this: If the gasoline left up it was going to keep going as long as the bulldog followed.

Gasoline engines outlast bulldogs in time. Two hours of speeding exhausted the dog, who, pining and growling, indicated another tank full of gasoline, and the auto proceeded on its way.

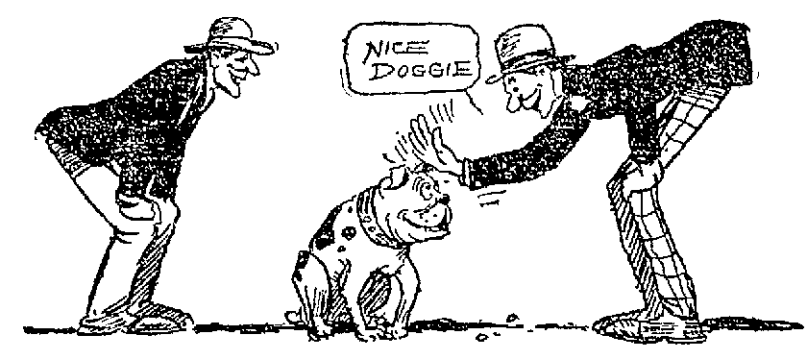
It was all a case of mistaken identity on the part of the bulldog that caused William Campbell, Berkeley capitalist, about two hours of worry and 25 cents worth of gasoline spent on a wasteful, although speedy, ride.

It seems that Campbell had planned to take his family for a ride. His machine came, but when he started to get in, he found a huge white bulldog barring his way. The dog growled, showing a large row of teeth, and Campbell tried coaxing.

No use. Doggie stayed right in the machine. Finally Campbell hit upon an application. The machine sped, and the bulldog sped. It reminded one of the old country "run round the block" couple. "Round the block and round the block," he said, "where she stops nobody knows." Campbell did not know where he was going to stop, but he did know this: If the gasoline left up it was going to keep going as long as the bulldog followed.

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BACCUS PROPOSES TO HAVE MUNICIPAL GARAGE

Change in View Will Save City of Oakland \$1139 Annually

Effecting a saving of \$1139 a year and an increase in the efficiency of the municipal departments, two ordinances were introduced in council this morning by Commissioner of Streets W. J. Baccus appropriating funds for the erection and maintenance of a municipal garage and creating the position of machinist at \$150 a month and two hostlers at \$80 per month.

At present the automobiles owned by the city are placed in various garages, and the cost of care and upkeep is excessive. In addition to this, they are not in good condition much of the time.

PLAN WORKED OUT.

The civil service commission asked for a report on the matter and Ward Smith, chief clerk of the street department, made an exhaustive study of the situation, and worked out a solution. According to Harrison S. Robinson, the report made by Smith is a model, as it shows the present condition of affairs and recommends the best possible method of improving it along the line of efficiency and of standardizing the accounting and the methods in use in departments.

Smith's report to Baccus, on which the commissioner based his recommendation this morning, contains the following explanation of the situation:

"It is impossible to get accurate statistics of segregated cost of maintenance of municipal automobiles. Cities have been using auto vehicles so short a time that few of them have as yet systematized their control.

"The most important need of a municipal garage is control of machines. With a competent man in charge, a complete check as to the use of each machine can be kept, avoiding criticism, that they may be used for other purposes than city business. Complete costs of repairs, tires, gasoline, lubricants and new parts can be charged against each machine and a comparison of mileage records will give check against each driver as to care in handling machines. With the number of machines now in use by the city this is absolutely necessary in the interests of efficiency.

ALWAYS READY.

"At present the different city automobiles are kept at many different places. Some are in the city corporation yard, some are in public garages and some in private garages. With a municipal garage the machines would be in a central place, troubles would be reported and corrected at once and all machines kept washed and polished at all times. This would not only keep the machine in presentable condition, but would correct troubles before they became serious, and would undoubtedly add to the life of the automobiles 50 per cent. It would also reduce repair bills about the same proportion. This estimate is justified by the report of the Los Angeles water works department in its report of 1910.

"The establishment of a municipal garage is necessary in the carrying out of the adopted policy of fixed responsibility and efficiency. It is also necessary for the proper handling of the funds and in line with the proposed segregated budget.

"Under the present system of handling repairs on city machines, they are sent to any shop without check on either time spent on the machine or material used. The regular charge is \$1 per hour whether for a \$5 per day man or for a \$2.50 per day helper. It is also known to be a fact that many new parts are bought when not necessary. The experience of the large corporations has been a saving of about 50 per cent.

"The total cost for upkeep on eight machines used by the city during the year 1911-1912 (not including the fire department and police department patrol electric machine) was \$5649.18, making an average of \$706.14 per machine. This does not include the cost of painting and keeping in presentable shape.

"It also does not include heavy overhauling charges on the street department machines and the health department machine, amounting to over \$750, which came in immediately after July 1, 1912.

"On this basis the upkeep on 18 cars for tires, fuses and tire repairs would be \$4119.36 and for parts and repairs,

would be \$4819.14. The total cost for upkeep would be \$9238.50.

ANNUAL SAVING.

"An estimate of upkeep on 18 machines with a city garage would be as follows:

Machinist \$1800.00
Two hostlers 2160.00
Electricity for motors 60.00
Tires and tire repairs at \$150 2700.00
New parts 660.00
20 per cent on investment 713.56
Total \$8093.56

A saving of \$1139.64 per year would be in having the machine in good repair all the time, thus lengthening the life of the machine fully 50 per cent.

Also in efficiency, the employee, being able to handle the full limit of work planned by always having his machine ready for use.

SUMMARY.

"The available location is the city corporation yard, at Ninth and Fallon streets.

A saving to the city would be large, and it will undoubtedly add to the life of all machines.

"It carries out a general scheme of economy and betterment of city services, and gives a complete check on the use of all machines.

"In line with the plans for a segregation of the budget so that the different funds will have a meaning.

"It will cost but little more to equip for all machines than to finish equipment for the street department machines only."

DEATH CELL TOO
MUCH FOR JACK

Black Champion Gets a Bad
Case of "Spooks" in
County Jail.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Jack Johnson, suffering from an old-fashioned case of "hants," limped into the office of Charles F. Dewdney of the Federal Department of Justice yesterday, and complained bitterly because he was detained in one of the death cells at the County Jail Tuesday night after his return from Battle Creek, Mich.

The negro swore that "spooks" made money around his cell all night, some of them dancing about the floor and others amusing themselves by tapping on the outside of the iron cage.

"I'm all bunged up," Johnson said. "For the first time in my life, I'm suffering from a weak back. That's due to my thrashing around all night when the spooks were bothering me. Look at me—"

Johnson replied, "but just think of sleeping in a room where many men have spent their last night on earth. I'd rather jump from the top of a twenty-story building than repeat the experience."

NEW TRIAL WILL BE
GIVEN TO SOCIALIST

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—A new trial for Leonard Olsson, the Socialist agitator, whose disbarment from citizenship by the United States District Judge Cornelius H. Hanford last spring resulted in the bringing of impeachment charges, during the investigation of which Judge Hanford resigned, was provided for in a stipulation signed today by United States District Attorney Beverly W. Colner and counsel for Olsson. The stipulation provides that the lower court will be reversed, and the Olsson case remanded to the United States District Court at Tacoma for a new trial when the case is called on appeal by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at San Francisco next month.

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MRS. C. H. WALL SUES FOR DIVORCE

Declares That Life With Her
Wealthy Husband is Not
Endurable.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Carlton H. Wall, formerly Mrs. Violet Kerner, started suit for divorce today. She charges Carlton H. Wall, clubman and president of the Techna Tavern Company, with extreme cruelty. Wall, in addition to owning large property interests, in this city, is owner of the Hotel Carlton at Berkeley. He is the son of the late General Joseph G. Wall of Alameda, who left an estate valued in the neighborhood of a million dollars.

The divorce proceedings are not unexpected. For some weeks it has been known that differences have existed between Wall and his beautiful wife. Wall has been staying at the Olympic Club recently, while Mrs. Wall has been occupying separate apartments at the Chateau. Wall's actions of late, Mrs. Wall alleges in her divorce complaint, have subjected her to great mental and physical discomfort. Married life with him, she says, is no longer endurable.

JURY LIST FROM REGISTER.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—Property qualifications for jurors are abolished by a bill introduced in the Assembly today by Assemblyman T. D. Johnston of Contra Costa. Jury lists will no longer be made up from the assessment rolls, but from the great register, under the provisions of the bill, which was prepared by the labor lobby.

The bill amends the present act so as to make citizenship, the possession of good faculties and an understanding of the English language the necessary qualifications.

Such a law is now in effect in about half the states, Johnston says, and bills have been introduced at previous sessions of California legislatures, but never reported out of committee.

TO BEGIN SUIT FOR OIL LANDS

Government to Start Proceedings
for Southern California Holdings.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—A suit which will test the title of hundreds of thousands of acres of oil lands in the west with values running into the millions will be filed at Los Angeles, Cal., by the federal government within a few days.

Assistant Attorney General Knabel instructed United States Attorney McCormick at Los Angeles today to begin proceedings against all the claimants to 150 acres of oil lands in Southern California said to be worth \$5000 an acre. Other suits will follow, all of them testing the legality of the extensive oil land withdrawals made by President Taft, September 27, 1909.

When questions were raised as to the president's power to make the withdrawal, congress gave him specific authority by the act of June 25, 1910, and President Taft again withdrew the lands in July, 1910. Between the first and second withdrawals, however, many claims were filed on the lands under the mineral law. The government holds that the first withdrawal as well as the second was legal and that the title to tracts is lodged with the United States.

Taft to Banquet Five
Times in Two Days

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Taft left at 3 p. m. over the Pennsylvania Railroad for Philadelphia on a trip which will take him to five banquets in two days, including a visit to New York and New Haven and bring him back to the White House Tuesday morning.

POSTAL ECONOMICS MASTER IS WANTED

Representative Urges Appointment
of Expert as Postmaster-General.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 17.—Representative David J. Lewis of Maryland, authority of the House bill from which the present parcel post law originated, urged President-elect Wilson today to appoint as Postmaster-General "a competent master of postal and transportation economics."

Lewis suggested no names, but pointed out in a memorandum submitted to Wilson that without additional funds or legislation the postoffice department within four years could establish rates for the movement of small shipments at one-half the present express rates. By making the rural routes relatively profitable through the use of fast freight, he said, penny postage would be feasible.

Colonel George W. Goethals, chairman of the Panama Canal Commission, had a long talk with the president-elect today and urged him to go to the canal at the earliest possible moment. The governor could not say when he would make the trip.

PETERS GIVEN FREEDOM.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—Fred R. Peters, an engineer, who was arrested in San Francisco Sunday on complaint of his wife, has been released and he and his wife are living at 2315 Santa Clara avenue where they are housekeeping in furnished rooms. After Mrs. Peters swore to a complaint a few days ago before Judge R. E. Tappan she decided not to prosecute the case and the local police were notified not to serve the warrant of arrest. Peters, however, was picked up in San Francisco. After finding out that Mrs. Peters did not wish to prosecute, the San Francisco police allowed Peters to go and he is again back in Alameda. He was charged with insanity.

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HERD OF ELK ARE NOW IN REDDING

Present From Government to
Lodge of Northern City
Arrives.

REDDING, Jan. 17.—Fifty elk, direct from the Yellowstone National Park, the gift of the United States government to the Redding lodge of Elks, arrived yesterday at their destination at Winthrop, between the McCloud and Pitt rivers.

They were ten days making the journey. Not a single one perished, though the thermometer was 30 degrees below zero when they left the park.

The herd is imported at a total cost of \$1500. The money was contributed by different lodges of Elks in the state and by lovers of sport. Mrs. Enebe Hearst and Charles W. Wheeler, who have summer homes on the McCloud, were large contributors.

The elk will be protected for several years and in time there will be enough to afford royal shooting for sportsmen. At present it is a felony to kill any of them.

The elk will be held in a corral at Winthrop and fed hay for a few days or until they are well rested.

SOCIAL BUTTERFLY CHARGED WITH FRAUD

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—G. Gordon Bryan, graduate of the University of Toronto, fraternity and club man, employed by the Modern Vehicle company, was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out by J. W. Flannery, proprietor of the Court Hotel, 555 Bush street, on a charge of defrauding an inn keeper. Flannery claims that young Bryan has been cutting quite a figure socially and has run up a bill of \$77 since January 4. The young man asserts that he offered to settle for \$25 down and \$10 a week but was refused. He claims also that his employer promised to put up the money for him but Bryan was not satisfied. Police Judge Deary issued the warrant.

EXPECT TO TALK TO LOCAL AD. MEN

W. E. Joslyn to Give Address
on Proper Publicity for
the Retailer.

Members of the Oakland Advertising Association will have the opportunity of hearing W. E. Joslyn speak at their luncheon next Tuesday.

Joslyn has had a wide range of experience in retail advertising and management. He was advertising manager of the San Francisco Emporium for six years up to 1906. He then went East and took charge of the big Rothchild store in Chicago where he made a marked success, placing that store among the leaders in volume of business done.

He could not resist the lure of California out of his blood, however, and recently returned to San Francisco, where he is advertising counsel for several of the largest and best known mercantile firms there.

His talk will be on publicity for the retailer and the management of the sales organization to get the best results.

Coming from a noted specialist in the line such as Joslyn, local merchants will do well to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him.

DIVIDES LAND TO STOP DANGER OF LAWSUITS

STOCKTON, Jan. 17.—Deeds were recorded yesterday showing that James Turner, reputed to be worth \$250,000, and one of the best-known farmers in San Joaquin county, has divided his immense ranch of 1500 acres situated near French Camp among his children and grandchildren. Turner is nearly 90 years old and has partitioned his land to stop possible litigation after his death.

The deeds are given in consideration of love and affection, and do not take effect so far as possession is concerned during the life of the grantor, William C. Turner, son, gets one of the largest parcels. It consists of 200 acres. Others to share in the fortune are Mr. and Mrs. Archie Foster, the latter a daughter; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Foreman, the latter a daughter, and Grace T. Foreman and Elizabeth N. Foster, grandchildren.

TO FERRY TRAINS FROM HAVANA TO FLORIDA

HAVANA, Jan. 17.—It is reported here that Robert Orr, general manager of the United Railways of Havana, who is now in St. Augustine, Fla., is conferring with Henry Flagler over a proposition to install regular ferries between Key West and Havana. It is proposed to transport entire trains across the straits of Florida.

GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY GRADUATES CELEBRATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Old-time graduates of Georgetown University from throughout the United States arrived today to join in the exercises that are to mark the 177th anniversary of the birth of John Carroll, first archbishop of Baltimore and founder of the university. Among the alumni is Chief Justice White of the Supreme Court, who will be a principal guest at the banquet tonight.

PLANS TO WAGE BATTLE ON VICE

"Eyes of the World On San
Francisco," Declares
Noted Woman.

"The eyes of the world are on San Francisco," said Mrs. M. A. Mackenzie, formerly Miss M. A. Thompson of Oakland and one of the most widely known fighters of the white slave traffic in the United States, on her arrival in the city from Chicago where she has been actively engaged in the work for the last several years.

Mrs. Mackenzie expects to begin her educational campaign of prevention at once taking the matter up with the prominent clubs in order to lessen the evils during the Panama Pacific Exposition. During the Alaska Yukon Exposition in Seattle the institution with which she was connected was instrumental in saving over 200 girls and among Mrs. Mackenzie's most valued possessions are letters from Governor M. B. Hayes of Washington showing appreciation of the work.

"While I have not given up the rescue work I find that the prevention by way of education is much more efficacious and it is along those lines that I am bending my present efforts."

In the East they are asking what San Francisco is going to do about removing the cause of the black eye she has at present and one society in Washington has announced its intention to keep people away from the fair unless something is done.

Mrs. Mackenzie has been a foremost prohibitionist, member of the W. C. T. U. and other social and religious organizations for years and was first introduced to the work during the Klondike rush. She has made sixteen trips across the continent and has visited the large cities of the country in studying the conditions of the traffic.

MAY PURCHASE ONE OF BIG STEAMERS

Campania or Cedric May Be
Bought by Japanese
Line.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Arrangements have been completed by the Toyo Kisen Kaisha for the purchase of either the Campania or Cedric from the British owners, according to information received when the Orient yesterday. One of these vessels will be decided upon, it is said, within a few weeks, when President Asano and Assistant General Manager W. H. Avery proceed to England to confirm the choice of the company's representatives who went to Europe a few months ago.

According to the report from Japan the Japanese Steamship Company made an agreement with the Western Pacific when their traffic agreement went into effect that the fleet was to consist of four regular liners and two intermediate steamships before January 1, 1913.

Owing to the difficulty in securing additional vessels this agreement was extended for six months. The liner Hongkong Maru, now operating between the China coast and South America, has been prepared to go on the Hongkong-San Francisco run as an intermediate steamer within sixty days.

Many of the Atlantic liners which could be purchased were unsuitable for the Pacific travel, principally on account of the numerous accommodations for cabin and steerage passengers. It is either the Cedric or Campania is taken over by the Toyo Kisen Kaisha a portion of the steerage will be converted into cargo space.

Captain William Woodus Greene of the Chiyu Maru will leave for Ireland, accompanied by his bride, a few days. Captain W. C. S. Filmer has been appointed his successor on the Chiyu. It is said that when Greene's leave of absence expires he will take command of the Atlantic liner and take her to Hongkong via the Suez canal.

FOUR OPERAS ARE OFFERED COACH

Stanford Junior Play Decided
Upon by Fred
Carlyle.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 17.—After a strenuous session of reading four operas composed by students playwrights, this year's junior opera, to be staged March 29, Coach Fred Carve of San Francisco, with the aid of the third-year committee, decided upon the manuscript submitted by Emily McCord, '15, and A. T. Stearns, '16. The name did not please the committee or the coach, and this was left undecided until a later date. The book is the work of Miss McCord, to which the musical parts were fitted by Stearns. The opera consists of two acts, the first of which is laid at a senior prom in the Memorial court. The Mojave Indian reservation is the scene of the final act. Part of the book is founded upon the old Indian custom of the burning of the "maiden fires." The opera furnishes excellent opportunity for a first-class production, in which the present junior class hopes to excel all other previous operas.

Miss McCord registers in the economics department from San Diego. She is a member of Robic Club. Stearns has been in the university but one semester. He majors in chemistry. His home is in St. Louis, Mo.

GOVERNMENT AWARDS CONTRACTS FOR PAPER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Contracts for \$2,000,000 pounds of paper to be used by the government printing office during the year beginning April 1 next were awarded today by the joint Congressional committee on printing. The aggregate amount to be paid is \$1,125,000. There were 38 successful bidders, representing firms in all parts of the country. The biggest single item was 6,000,000 pounds of postal card paper.

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE OF COATS

Garmets of excellent workmanship, splendid materials in newest winter styles.

STILL FURTHER REDUCTIONS

LADIES' COATS

New arrivals, latest winter models, new materials, popular shades—Boucles, Mixtures, Zibelines, Caraculs, Wide Wales and Plushes.

\$6.95, \$7.95, \$8.95, \$9.95, \$12.45 Worth Almost Double

MISSSES' COATS

Large assortment new Mannish models in Mixtures and Solids, Chinchillas and 2-tones.

\$6.95, \$9.95, \$11.45, \$12.45, \$13.45 At Half Their Value

CHILDREN'S COATS

Plushes, Caraculs, Mixtures and Solids.

\$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.45, \$6.45 At One-Third Regular Prices

\$25 TAILORED
SUITS NOW \$14.95

Big Reductions on Entire Line

All
Furs
1/3 Off

Pacific
Cloak and Suit House
N. E. Corner 11th and Washington Sts.

Extra
Special
All Voile Skirts,
values to \$20.00
\$4.95

DOES NOT CARE TO VEND TITLE

Rich German Nobleman Plans
to Leave Fair Sex Alone
While Here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Baron Hans von Kuhlmann, heir to rich estates in Bavaria and military attache of the German government at Peking, doesn't care to meet any little hunters during his visit to the United States. Unlike other noblemen who have laid their royal lineage at the shrine of American heiresses, Baron von Kuhlmann has no such desire.

The distinguished young German army officer, who arrived here yesterday on the Chiyu Maru from the Far East, is possessed of a number of firm ideas concerning the female of the species, and while he might be considered a high prize from a matrimonial standpoint, he has at present no thought of taking a Baroness to his ancestral halls in Munich.

The Baron was so astonished that he nearly dropped his monocle when asked if he were seeking an American bride to share his title.

"I have no such intention," laughed the young nobleman, good naturedly. "In the first place, I believe a man of my station should, if he desires a wife, wed one of his own country women. That would make a more happy and satisfactory union."

"The American woman interest me very much, and I think that they are very lovely. What is the difference between American women and German?" The Baron paused and meditated for a moment. "I think I can explain it this way. American women wish to play the first violin, while our women, you might say, are extremely contented with second place, rather than urging themselves forward."

Baron von Kuhlmann holds the rank of captain in the cavalry and has been located at the German Embassy in Peking for about two years. He is on his way to visit his brother, who is first secretary to the German Embassy at London, and who is married to a German. He has another brother in New York, who, like himself, he says, has no thought of answering the whims of Cupid.

GROUNDING STEAMER HAULED TO SAFETY

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 17.—The steamer Uranium, which grounded on the rocks near here on Sunday, was floated today. Her passengers were taken off shortly after she struck.



A Belmont "notch" collar in white striped Madras. It's an

ARROW
COLLAR
11c. 2 for 2c. Cluett, Peabody & Co.

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- H. O. HERMANSEN, 1050 E. 12th Street, Oakland—Merritt 55.
- P. M. HOLST & CO., 5005 E. 14th Street, Oakland—Elmhurst 34.
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- THE ROSENBERG CO., Hayward, Cal.—Hayward 103.
- A. H. W. KOBBER, 2314 Santa Clara Avenue, Alameda—Alameda 445.
- J. G. LUBBEN, 1701 Webster Street, Alameda—Alameda 500.
- NIELSEN-ANDERSON CO., Hopkins and Fruitvale Avenue—Oakland-Merritt 147.
- PACIFIC FUEL AND BUILDING MATERIAL CO.—1427 Broadway, Oakland—Oakland 770.
- WILLIAM PETERSEN, 2248 E. 14th Street, Oakland—Merritt 223.
- RENAS WAREHOUSE CO., 1039 University Avenue, Berkeley—Berkeley 50.
- RHODES-JAMIESON & CO., 1520 Park Street, Alameda—Alameda 440.

All weights sent out by the above coal dealers are absolutely guaranteed by this association.

All coal dealers who have platform wagon scales, and will agree to having their weights checked by this association are cordially invited to become members.

CALIFORNIA PIONEER DIES IN PETALUMA

PETALUMA, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Lovejoy, a prominent pioneer resident of this city, died here yesterday. She was born in Ohio and came to Petaluma in the early days. Mrs. Lovejoy was the widow of the late Dr. G. E. Lovejoy and mother of Mrs. Jennie Spottwood, Dr. Frank Lovejoy, Dr. G. P. Lovejoy, Petaluma, and Mrs. Oscar Stafford of Los Angeles. She was a member of the Woman's Club, W. R. C. and Eastern Star Lodge. The funeral will be held Friday.

JAPANESE CONVICTED.

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 17.—O. Itow was found guilty of first degree murder and E. Fushima was convicted of manslaughter by a jury in the United States District Court yesterday for killing Frank Dunn, a cannery foreman, at Dundas Bay last July. Fushima and another Japanese held Dunn while Itow ran a sword through his body.

TO RECEIVE HEARING.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Folke E. Brandt, Mortimer L. Schiff's former valet, was brought here from the Clinton prison yesterday to be present this afternoon in a hearing to be given by Governor Sulzer on Brandt's application for clemency. Brandt has served nearly six years of a 30 years' sentence for burglary in the Schiff home. He claims he was railroaded to prison.

RIOTER SENTENCED HEAVILY IN SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—Joe Collich, an Austrian who participated in a riot here January 1, when the American flag was torn to shreds by a number of his countrymen, was sentenced in the Police Court to serve 100 days in the city jail. Other Austrians arrested with Collich were fined for disturbing the peace.

ASTHMA CATARRH WHOLE COUGH BRONCHITIS COUGHS

Vapo-Resolene
ESTABLISHED 1879
A simple, safe and effective treatment for bronchial troubles, without dosing the stomach with drugs. Used with success for thirty years.
The air carrying the antiseptic vapor, inspired with every breath, makes breathing easy, soothes the sore throat, and loosens the cough, bringing restful nights. Vapo-Resolene is invaluable to mothers with young children and a boon to sufferers from Asthma.
Send for postal descriptive booklet.
ALL DRUGGISTS.
The California Cough Syrup Co., 1000 Broadway, New York City.
VAPOR-RESOLENE CO.
62 Cortland St., N. Y.



Here's
a
hunch!

P. A.'s got a bunch of imitators—
right smart proof it's all wool and a yard wide!

Two things are never counterfeited—plugged nickels and ordinary tobaccos! Prince Albert sort of upset the fashion in pipe and cigarette tobacco, because it won't sting your tongue (bite's cut out by a patented process), because it tastes delicious and because it has fragrance that makes it welcome in any home or office. Out of the tall timbers came the substitutes—"just as good as P. A."—"just like P. A."—and that sort of thing! Just trying to warp in!

Let this sink deep: Every time that chaff's handed you, make a bee line for a tin of Prince Albert. Then you're in O. K. Realize that imitation is the basest advertisement P. A. can have! Get that? There's just one "joy smoke" in this world for you, whether you jam it in a jimmy pipe or roll up a cigarette—that's Prince Albert.

You get a new view of life's joys if you'll buy a package of P. A. and roll up a cigarette. It's great—fresh, fragrant, sweet. Right now, put it on your sure thing list. It's worth a bet.

PRINCE ALBERT
the national joy smoke

Say, start to gallop while the goin's good!

R. J. REYNOLDS
TOBACCO CO.
Winston-Salem, N. C.



10 GROCERY SPECIALS

QUAKER PUFFED WHEAT
and QUAKER PUFFED
RICE, reg. 15c..... 10c
GOLD DUST,
Large Pkg., 15c
CLOVER LEAF and
AMMONIA BORAX
SOAPS-7 for 25c
FANCY CAN CRAB,
Small, reg. 25c..... 20c
FANCY CAN CRAB,
Large, reg. 45c..... 35c
ALL MEALS IN PACKAGES
REDUCED TO COST PRICE.
KARO SYRUP
Small Size,
reg. 10c..... 10c
Large Size,
reg. 25c..... 25c
18 lbs. PURE CAND GRAN-
ULATED
SUGAR \$1.00

USUAL SPECIALS IN
BUTTER AND EGGS

**CALIFORNIA
CREAMERY
CO., Inc.**

511 WASHINGTON ST.,
Bet 8th and 9th,
Telephone—Oakland 1019.

TOBACCO TARIFF IS DISCUSSED

House Committee Also Hears
Testimony Regarding
Paper Schedule.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. — Paper and tobacco industries were today on the program of the House committee on ways and means. A large representation of those interested in the pulp paper and book industry, affected by schedule "A" of the tariff law, were ready early to testify. Among scheduled witnesses were men from Havana, Tampa and other cities, here as spokesmen for the wrapper and filler, cigar and cigarette production and importing interests, who regard the consideration of schedule "F" as vitally important.

F. L. RUNGE IS FOUND NOT GUILTY BY JURY

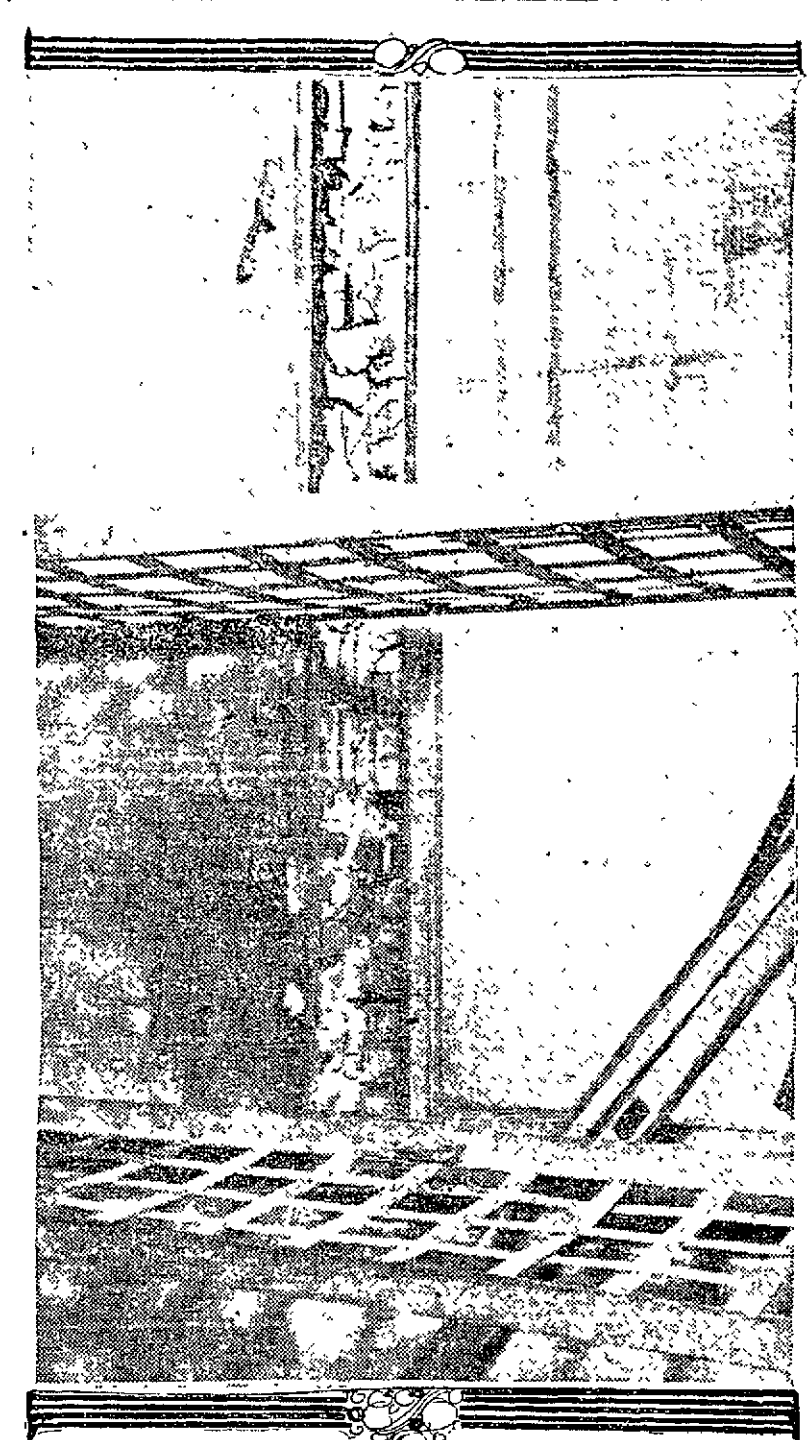
After a trial which lasted for a day before Superior Judge Wells, F. L. Runge, who was accused of having "ripped" for a ham through the gratings of W. J. Ferguson's commission house at Eleventh and Harrison streets, was acquitted by a jury last evening. The jury decided there was not sufficient evidence to hold the defendant as he had not been seen to take the ham. It was afterwards found in his possession, as was a telescope rod with a hook attached.

BERTILLION INVITES

all wearers of Bertillion hats to have their hats blocked and cleaned. Remember, it's a free courtesy at this store. We aim to satisfy and work to do it—and guarantee real satisfaction. Bertillion, Leading Hatter, 1025 Broadway, between 10th and 11th Sts.

BOY JAIL-BREAKERS WORK WITH SPOON

FALLING BRICK FOILS PLANS OF TRIO



INTERIOR OF CELL IN COUNTY JAIL, SHOWING WHERE WINDOW CASING ON LEFT SIDE WAS REMOVED BY BOYS.

Window Casing Is Removed and Brick and Mortar Binding Grating Are Torn Out

Jail-breaking operations with a spoon was the pastime indulged in by a trio of boys inmates of the county prison until they had torn off a window casing in their common cell and loosened bricks and mortar securing the iron grating between them and liberty. It is explained by Jailer Clark that only cells in the upper part of the jail offer exit into the outer air by means of a spoon manipulated by boys. The youthful prisoners, who are prisoners still through the annoying circumstance of the finding of a loosened brick which had fallen on the outside, were today regarded with more or less awe and wonderment by the other prisoners, some of whom had doubtless canvassed all the possibilities of escape except that of engaging one of the fourth floor apartments and employing a common, or kitchen variety, of spoon. Escape of the youths from the fourth story of the county jail was frustrated last evening through the accidental dis-

covery of the brick lying on the lawn close to the building. The brick was picked up by Manuel Souza, gardener, and was at once recognized as having been a small portion of the jail building. He reported the find to Chief Jailer Charles Clark.

In investigation was made, with the result that a complete means of escape was found to have been perfected through the tearing away of plaster, brick and mortar that surrounded a window casing at the upper southwest corner of the jail.

The prisoners are John Gonzales, 18 years old, serving time for vagrancy; John Miller, 18 years old, awaiting trial on a charge of burglary; and Raymond Binning, 16 years old, a federal prisoner held for alleged robbery of the mails. "We would have made our getaway to-night," said Gonzales to Jailer Clark last evening following the discovery of the brick. "We had everything ready and would have slid down the side of the building on ropes made from our blankets."

USE SPOON IN ATTEMPT.

The three prisoners admitted that they had been at work tearing away the material during the previous three nights. By using a sharpened spoon they had set to work to demolish one side of the cell. First the wooden window-casing was removed, opening up the brick work on one side. In dislodging the bricks, care had been taken not to break entirely through to the outer facing, but the prisoners evidently pounded too hard and several bricks fell away. One dropped to the ground and gave a clink to what was going on.

COVER UP PLANS.

Given the freedom of one of the smaller corridors and adjacent cells in what is known as the juvenile department of the jail on the fourth floor, the three prisoners occupied one cell for their living quarters. The cell from which they made their futile attempt to escape was in the corner of the building and unused. A number of wire gratings that had been taken from the other windows were stowed in the cell. With these and the empty bunks hanging from the wall, the youths covered up all traces of their operations during the daytime and the hours when jailors visited them to bring food and on inspection tours. The juvenile cell are unlike those in the remainder of the jail. The cells are along the side wall, and have the benefit of windows opening into them, whereas in the other wards the steel cells are set back from the windows with a corridor in between, leaving no possible connection.

Owing to the distance from the ground and the class of prisoners confined in the juvenile department it was considered that the cells were amply safe for all purposes. But the ingenious devices of youths who had nothing else to do but plot for a sensational escape that would rival the deeds of dime novel heroes proved more than the specifications of the builders of the \$100,000 prison. The work of the prisoners in endeavoring to effect their escape disclosed a material defect in the window construction of the upper floor of the jail. After the wooden casing had been removed it was not difficult for them to tear away the bricks by digging out the mortar and it only remained for a sufficient hole to be made to enable them to get around the inset iron bars.

When the boys broke out of the jail, the first attempt to break out was the only part of the building that could be approached in that way, as other cells do not open upon windows," said Chief Jailer Clark today.

As a result of their attempt, the three prisoners were placed in solitary confinement and it is probable that a charge of attempted jail-breaking, which is a felony punishable by from one to six years imprisonment, will be placed against them.

FACTS FOR THE PUBLIC TO CONSIDER

Our men belong to the Butchers' Union. No strike or lockout exists with us. Our men work less hours and receive more pay than the Union scale demands.

We are being picketed WITHOUT THE AUTHORITY OR CONSENT OF THE CENTRAL LABOR COUNCIL. We do claim that this is not a fight with the Union, because they have no grievance against us, but because they are influenced by outside butchers, members of the Butchers' Exchange, men who have markets in the residence districts. They insist that we should close our markets at 8 o'clock on Saturday nights in order to hurt the downtown markets, for by doing so they hope to gain our Saturday night business.

We are informed that members of the Butchers' Exchange are contributing funds to aid this fight on the downtown markets. The real reason for this fight against us is that we have consistently cut the prices on meat and advertised the fact.

We wish to take this means of thanking the public for their very generous support, for we believe they understand the motive in this controversy and know that we are right.

WASHINGTON MARKET

OPEN SATURDAY
NIGHT TILL 10.
Every other evening we
close at 6. Open at 8 in the
morning instead of 7, as heretofore.

PLEASE NOTE:

Our men are members
of the Butchers' Union—
work less hours and receive
more pay than the union asks
for.

EASTERN HAMS 17½c lb.

No. 1 Eastern Sugar Cured Hams, 10 to 12 lb. average; every ham guaranteed as advertised, Washington or Lincoln brand. On sale at 17½c per lb. by the ham. Limit one ham to each patron.

Boneless Cottage Rolls 16½c lb.
Smoked Picnic Hams 11½c per lb.
Eastern Bacon 22c per lb.

LAMBS

Hindquarter Lamb 16c per lb.
Forequarter Lamb 11c per lb.

MUTTON

Legs of Yearlings 15c per lb.
Legs of Mutton 14c per lb.
Prime Rack or Loin Mutton Roast 12½c per lb.
Mutton Loin or Rib Chops 12½c lb.
Mutton Shoulder Chops 10c per lb.
Mutton Shoulder Roast 7½c per lb.
Mutton Stew 4 lbs. for 25c

PORK

Leaf Lard 9 lbs. for \$1.00
Legs of Pork or Fresh Hams 14c lb.
Pork Shoulder Roast 11c per lb.
Pork Shoulder Chops 12½c per lb.
Pork Loins, by the whole or half 16c per lb.
Pork Loin Chops 17½c per lb.

VEAL

Legs of Veal 16c per lb.
Veal Shoulder Roast 12½c per lb.

BEEF

Choice Steer Beef Quality.
Prime Standard Roast 15c per lb.
Rolled Shoulder Roast, boned 12½c per lb.
Pot Roast 10c and 11c per lb.
Round Steaks 15c per lb.
Loin Steaks 15c and 17½c per lb.
Rib Steaks 12½c per lb.
Rib Boiling Beef 9c per lb.
Corned Beef 10c per lb.

POULTRY

Fresh Dressed California Turkeys 25c to 28c per lb.
Fresh Dressed Eastern Chickens, Hens or Roasters 24c per lb.
Wild Game for Saturday.

HOME MADE SAUSAGE

Bologna, Garlic and Liver Sausage 10c per lb.

Grocery Specials

19 lbs. Dry Granulated Sugar \$1.00
3 lbs. Our Best Coffee, 40c lb. \$1.00
1 2-lb. Square Humboldt Butter70
1 lb. Tea, reg. 50c35
1 doz. Best Cold Storage Eggs20
Fig bars, reg. 1 lb. for 20c; made yesterday, sold today; 2 lbs.25
Biscola Cooking Demonstration; Free Sample.

OPEN SATURDAY FROM 8 A. M. TILL 10 P. M.

WASHINGTON MARKET

LESSER BROS. Props.
9th & Washington Sts.

GIRL RELAY TEAM CAPTURES BURGLAR

One Feminine Pursuer Falls by
Wayside, But Second
Takes Up Chase.

Pursued by a relay team of two girls, Wyatt P. Rose, alleged burglar, found himself to be no match for Miss Edith Williams, the second member of the team, last evening when he attempted to escape after robbing the till of a small store at 4650 East Fourteenth street.

Rose, who is a mute, was overtaken by Miss Williams, and worsted in a struggle with the 17-year-old girl. When the police, who had been hastily summoned, arrived, they found Miss Williams sitting on the chest of her captive.

DAUGHTER DETERMINED.

Mrs. Zeiser discontinued the chase and stopped to gather the coins rolling about the sidewalk. Her daughter still sped after the thief, who was breathing hard and showing signs of exhaustion. Just as she was using her last bit of strength to reach the man, Miss Zeiser saw her friend, Miss Williams, at Forty-seventh street and Sixth street. She called to Miss Williams to take up the chase, and fell exhausted on the steps of a residence.

Miss Williams began her lap of the relay at full speed and soon overtook Rose. She grasped the man by the arm, and roared a blow in the face in return. Braving the man's blows, Miss Williams obtained a good hold and succeeded in tripping him up. She fell across his body, and succeeded in holding him down until passersby came to her assistance.

The arrest was made by Miss Williams and Lieutenant William Wood and Patrolman Jordan. Rose was taken to

BANDIT WILL NOT GIVE PALS' NAMES

Confessed Leader of the Band
Will Not "Peach"
on Associates.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17. — James A. Perry, confessed leader of the band of automobile bandits who have committed a score of daring robberies in the past sixty days, firmly refused today to reveal the identity of his associates.

"There were four of us, but I'll never tell the names of my pals," said Perry. "I have told all I am going to about these holdups."

Perry kept soundly after making a confession of his career to Police Captain Lavin and State's Attorney Hoyne last night. Admission of Perry that it was he who fired the shots at Policeman Fred Sticken, who was wounded by the automobile bandits at West Monroe street and Fifth avenue and led to a puzzling situation inasmuch as Sticken already had identified Albert Chareast and James Mitchell as the robbers who shot him from the automobile.

At the central station, and was today booked for burglary. Great praise was given the plucky young woman for her pursuit and capture of the thief.

TESTIMONY IS 'CORRECTED'

Gilchrist Stewart Denies That
He Said He Was to Re-
ceive \$15,000.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17. — Gilchrist Stewart, a negro lawyer, sent to Chicago for Former Senator Foraker to get a statement from William Winfield, a former Standard Oil messenger, about the sale of the "Archbold letters," appeared again today before the Clapp committee investigating campaign expenses. He made some corrections in his previous testimony. Under questioning by Senator Pomerene, he denied having confided to a friend that he was to get \$15,000 for his work "for the biggest people on earth, Wall street." Senator Pomerene questioned the witness from an affidavit by Philip Brown of Chicago, which was not made public. The committee adjourned indefinitely.

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17. — Delmar Provett, a plumber, 25 years old, who lived at 1207 Turk street, was found dead in a room at 1012 Fillmore street from gas asphyxiation. He registered at the place only last night, and evidently had planned suicide.

LEWIS SAMPLE SHOE CO.
SECOND FLOOR BACON BLDG. ROOMS 92-93
WASHINGTON AND 12TH STS.—TAKE ELEVATOR
OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS

\$4 and \$5 Shoes \$2.50
Best makes—Newest Styles—
All leathers—Women's and
Men's—in our upstairs, low rent shoe parlors—only \$2.50 pair.

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Our prime cuts are aged to the right point to ensure tenderness and delicious flavor.

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Corned Beef 10c

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Legs, whole 15c

Shoulders 11½c

Leaf Lard 12½c

Oakland Market Club House Sausage 15c

VEAL

Legs young veal 16c

Breasts young veal 11½c

Hams—No. 1 Eastern 12½c

Hams—No. 1 California 17½c

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LITERARY FIREMAN TO BECOME MODEL

Members to Be Taught Prevention, With the Aid of Book.

Fire prevention, of the science of forestalling fires by enforcing building restrictions, making frequent inspections for rubbish, combustibles and exposures, is to be taught in the Oakland fire department, if the civil service board has its way about the matter. As it depends upon the civil service board whether men in the department are given promotions, it is probable that the wishes of the commission will be observed.

Commissioner F. C. Turner is to issue orders concerning the matter in accordance with recommendations from the civil service board. An implied criticism of the department is contained in the letter, as it is suggested that in the past the firemen in the department are given promotions, it is probable that the wishes of the commission will be observed.

business men how to prevent the occurrence of fires.

The modern system of preventing fires contemplates a large saving from preventive measures than from actual fire fighting. Edward F. Croker, for 17 years chief of the fire department of New York City, has recently written a book entitled "Fire Prevention." This is to be used as a manual by members of the Oakland fire department, and the promotional examinations given by the civil service board will be based upon knowledge gained from this book.

The letter upon which Commissioner Turner will base his orders follows: "Dear Sir: Will you kindly give notice to the Fire Department that in all promotional examinations in that department special attention will be given to the subject of fire prevention. Work in that field should constitute an important part of each fireman's regular duty, and, therefore, it will have much weight in the examinations."

"The board will use as a text-book 'Fire Prevention,' a new book written by Edward F. Croker, for twelve years chief of the fire department of New York City. Yours truly,

"By Harrison S. Robinson, President."

A Louisiana millionaire is resisting a bill of \$20,000 for an operation for appendicitis. How much would he have been willing to pay for a seat in one of the Titanic's lifeboats?

INDICTMENT OF BROKER SOUGHT

Chairman Pujo Goes Before Federal Grand Jury With His Troubles.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Chairman Pujo of the House money trust committee testified before the federal grand jury today asking the indictment for contempt of George C. Henry, a New York broker who refused to tell the names of twenty-four national bank officials, who, he said, made \$30,000 in a syndicate operation of California petroleum stock. Henry and his counsel contend the committee has no authority to inquire into the affairs. The case promises to go to the supreme court.

RELEASED ON BOND.

LEAVENWORTH, Kans., Jan. 17.—Charles N. Beum, of Minneapolis, under sentence of three years for conspiracy in the dynamite cases, was released on bond from the federal prison at Fort Leavenworth this afternoon.

FRANCOIS TRAVELS AS 'LIGHT EXTRA'

Cross-Continent Troubadour Is Placed Upon Time Sheet of S. P. Company.

(Francois, the Troubadour, who is walking from the Hotel Oakland to the Waldorf Astoria and singing his way across the continent, will describe his experiences in THE TRIBUNE.)

(By FRANCOIS, THE TROUBADOUR.) Special correspondence of THE TRIBUNE.

ROSEVILLE, Jan. 15.—Left Sacramento this morning at 11:30 o'clock, arriving at Roseville at 3:20 this afternoon, having walked the entire distance of eighteen miles in a little less than four hours. Before leaving Sacramento the chief train dispatcher of the Southern Pacific, Mr. D. A. Neale, put my name on the regular train sheet, entering me as the "Light Extra" and noting the exact time of my departure, telegraphed the same to the various stations on this division and advised them to be on the lookout for me.

Upon arriving at Roseville I was met at the entrance of the Southern Pacific yards by the general yardmaster of Roseville, Mr. J. E. Thexton, and escorted to the yard office, at which place I was required to register on the regular train sheet and the conductors' report, which I will also be required to do at the depot before leaving tomorrow morning.

Did not get away from Sacramento as soon as I had expected to, due to the fact that I did not receive the letter from Mr. Charles S. Fee until 5:30 o'clock this morning. It appears that the letter was sent to me care of the district passenger agent, Mr. O'Garra, and I had, in the interim, looked for its arrival at the Hotel Sacramento. It seems that Mr. O'Garra telephoned the Sacramento Bee requesting that I be notified immediately upon my arrival of his receipt of the letter from Mr. Fee, which the Bee had neglected doing.

Am registered at the Southern Pacific Club of Roseville as the guest of the members this evening and will leave here for Auburn tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock.

Mr. T. J. Berry, assistant trainmaster at this point, this evening ordered out a rotary steam plow to clear the road for me as far as Truckee. This was very considerate of him and is a sample of the courtesy being extended me by the Southern Pacific company.

The trip from Sacramento to Roseville was without incident, therefore there is little of interest to write. Last evening I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Homan, a member of the California State Foresters, who appointed me a fire warden, all of which gives me the power of a peace officer and the privilege of wearing a star in addition to my other field equipment.

I called on Secretary of State Jordan yesterday afternoon and got a letter from him to the Secretary of State of New York. He had the pleasure of meeting a great many very courteous people since leaving Oakland and some "nuts" also. Am doing a lot of advertising and if every man who has one of my Hotel Oakland tags registers at that hotel the stockholders will have to increase the issue of capital stock and build an annex.

With best wishes to THE TRIBUNE and its readers I am,

Sincerely,

FRANCOIS, THE TROUBADOUR.

MAINE MEMENTO TO BE MOUNTED

Members of the United Spanish War Veterans will build with their own hands the pedestal upon which is to be mounted the torpedo boat facing of the battleship Maine, which was presented to the United States by Spain in 1895, at the Liscomb Camp No. 7, by the government.

The committee in charge of the work is composed of Major R. J. Faneuf, T. A. Stetson and H. P. Huber and as soon as the weather will permit, in company with the other veterans who understand the mechanics of the work, the ground for the foundation will be dug and the pedestal erected. All the work will be done by them with the exception of the making of the bronze plate of the order.

As many of the survivors of the Maine as can be secured will be present at the unveiling of the monument, which will be history-making for Oakland. The Marine Band from Yacht Base, (Coast Island) will be brought over and the militia will turn out in full, as well as over 500 veterans of the Spanish-American war and the G. A. R. representation. At least one battery from Battalion B will fire the salute.

The site of the pedestal is at Lakeside Park near the bandstand and the unveiling will take place on February 15, fifteen years after the sinking of the ship whose name the monument will bear.

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Weber	675	490
Knabe	500	385
Knabe	550	435
Knabe	700	460
Knabe	550	455
Knabe Art	750	535
Knabe	700	495
Knabe Art	900	565
Knabe	500	455
Knabe	700	490
Steinway	725	475
Fischer	500	390
Fischer	450	335
Fischer	400	210
Fischer	475	390
Fischer	550	485
Fischer	500	390
Fischer	425	345
Kohler & Chase	375	225
Kohler & Chase	425	285
Kohler & Chase	350	220
Kohler & Chase	475	345
Kohler & Chase	425	330
Kohler & Chase	500	380
Kohler & Chase	475	315

Grand Pianos

	Price Sale	New Price
Weber Grand	\$1,000	\$320
Weber Grand	900	690
Weber Grand	1,050	695
Weber Grand	1,250	845
Weber Grand	1,250	780
Weber Art	1,950	1,125
Knabe Art	2,100	1,175
Knabe Grand	950	760
Steinway Grand	1,100	385
Steinway Grand	950	690
Steinway Grand	950	720
Fischer-Clav	750	585

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In response to the call for the Pianola-Player Piano, for which Kohler & Chase are sole agents, Pianos bearing the distinguished name of every well-known maker have come in exchange to Kohler & Chase. Only such Pianos as were in perfect, or nearly perfect, condition when exchanged are included in this great sale.

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Each has been inspected and put into such splendid condition that it is sold with the full Guarantee—exactly the same as if new.

Between the prices of these and new Pianola-Player Pianos the saving is sufficient to put them within reach of the most modest income.

Payment may be made, if preferred, in monthly installments to suit your convenience.

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In accordance with their invariable practice, Kohler & Chase have placed in this, the greatest of all sales, no instrument which cannot be protected by its fullest Guarantee. Any Piano sold in this sale will be taken back in exchange within two years on a Weber or Knabe Player-Piano at the full price paid. Those who purchase from this company must be thoroughly and permanently satisfied. This is the iron-bound rule. Thus, no matter how great the saving, one may feel sure of a desirable purchase.

Read These History Making Prices Upright

	Price Sale	New Price
J. P. Hale	\$300	\$75
Fischer	300	65
Hallett & Davis	350	85
Holling	300	65
Steck	500	245
Winthrop	350	195
Heine	300	125
Hallett & Davis	300	125
Haines	375	210
Gaylord	275	180
New England	350	165
Decker Bros.	600	265
Rudolf	350	227
Victor	350	218
Fischer	550	290
Lester	375	228
Weser	350	165
Winthrop	350	165
Bishop	300	145
Monarch	350	135
Cremona	300	150
Schubert	350	140
Frederick	350	180
Bauer	375	140
Fischer	425	145
Fischer	450	330
Sherwood & Sons	300	115
Fischer	425	160
Decker Bros.	600	220
Hoffman	350	220
Kohler & Campbell	325	235
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Kohler & Campbell	325	230
Kohler & Campbell	325	180
Wheelock	475	295
Royal	350	210
Schubert	425	285
Shaw	550	345
Mansfield	300	185
Starck	750	385

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You can rent a Piano now for very little, and all rent will be refunded if you purchase any Piano from us within six months.

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SUBSTITUTE FAILS TO WIN APPROVAL

Railroad Lawyer Suggests the Running of Station by Section Foreman's Wife.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—In the course of the hearing before Railroad Commissioner Gordon, at the capitol today, of the petition of the people of El Dorado and Shingle Springs stations in Placer county to compel the Southern Pacific to restore agents at each station, Attorney Squires, representing the Southern Pacific, offered the unique plan of relying upon a busy housewife as a means of relieving the residents of Shingle Springs of the embarrassment brought about through the lack of a station agent.

Squires was questioning Robert Morrison, a lumberman of Shingle Springs, relative to the methods used in obtaining cars for the shipment of grain at Shingle Springs. Morrison related that he was compelled to wait for a train and place his order with the conductor for transmission to headquarters. Squires suggested that Morrison might leave his order with the section foreman who would transfer it to the conductor. When Morrison objected that the section boss was out of the road most of the day, Squires retorted:

"Well, he's a married man, why not leave the orders with his wife?"

Attorney S. Allayne Orr, representing the citizens, suggested that this was rather an unfair task to impose upon the housewife and the incident closed.

BROKEN JAW COSTS THE BREAKER \$250

On his promise that he would pay the bills for medical attention to Vincent Schonbacker, whose jawbone he had fractured, and would pay Schonbacker \$10 a week while he was disabled, A. W. Rudoback was allowed his liberty by Judge George Samuels this morning. The bill for treatment amounted to \$245.

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OFFICIAL RECORDS

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of Toler vs. Peralta, Administrator at No. 3405,
corner of plot 13, distance 39 degrees 35 minutes,
west 134.82 feet, south 42 degrees 34 minutes,
west 259.52 feet, south 11 degrees 10 minutes
west 238.91 feet for beginning, these

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144 ft southwest of Euclid avenue, south
107 1/2 ft to the northeast flue of Main
st. thence northeast 229 1/2 ft on 1 1/2
west boundary block 75, thence south
11 ft on 1 1/2 to intersection with line drawn
beginning at radius to Mount st, thence
229 1/2 ft on 1 1/2 to beginning, being
fractional block 75, map of rock
alameda and adjacent lands; \$1069.06, 1 p.

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Admiral, lot 7, map of Erlida tract, Oakland; Joseph, A., mortgage.

10. Adolph, J. & Josephine S., Baptista to Jose Baptista, intersection of the east line of Mather street and north line of 46th st., thence south 83.12 ft. m. 1 to point 93 ft. west of terrace st., thence north 40 to the north line of 46th st., thence east 100 ft. to the north line of Mather st., thence south 42.25 ft. to commencement, being portion of lot G. of E. B. Mann 2nd Highland Terrace, Oakland; \$10.

11. Henry H. Kohler to L. Rittell, northwest corner of 34th and Bond streets, Block 5, Melrose Heights, 37.50XN 130, being northeast half of lots 34 and all of lot 33, Block C, map of subdivision of Kinsliff tract, Elmhurst, Oakland; \$10.

12. Anderson, northwest of Feratta avenue 190 feet north of 46th st., Block 5, Melrose Heights, northeast of Lynde st. northeast 50XN 130, portion of Bond tract on map of subdivisions of lots and of Bond tract, Oakland; \$10.

13. City of Oakland to the Realty Syndicate, all right and interest in certain parcels of land lying south of the parcel to and distant from the southeast corner of Bond tract north 40th st. 40th St., Oakland; \$10.

14. North T. Co. to commencement, being 1/4 section 36, containing 40 acres, more or less, 1/4 section 36, all rights of way, water right appurtenant to said lands; \$6000, 1 year, cash.

15. Joseph V. Anselmo to Bank of Pines, same property as deed of L. V. Anselmo to J. V. Anselmo.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

Eugene O. Miller to Krohl and Inskip, 1/4 section 36, Block 5, Melrose Heights, Melrose Heights, Brooklyn township; \$300.

Same to C. S. Morse and F. B. Lowell, same property as deed of Eugene O. Miller to map of Melrose Heights, Brooklyn town; \$880.

Charles L. Harris to L. and Laura A. Smith to Carol Harris, trustees of William W. Eberly, same property as deed of Charles L. Harris to map of Piedmont by the Lake, Oakland; \$2000.

I. B. and Beesle Chapman to Gertrude Eccleston, trustees of the Oakland Bank Building Association, same property as deed of I. B. and Beesle Chapman to map of Piedmont; \$2000.

Gilda C. and N. J. Baldwin to Coriston G. Adams, same property as deed of I. B. and Beesle Chapman to map of Piedmont.

Rosemary Keyholms, name property as deed of M. Swalley to Ida C. Baldwin, Oakland; \$2000.

George W. Martin to John D. Goldberger, Edith & Martens, trustees of D. Goldberger,

G. P. and Edna Harris, M. C. Tough to James
G. P. Harris, deceased, \$10.
John M. and Alice Miller to Bennett and
John M. C. McCalla, sales proceeds of
deed of Tillie Hunter to J. M. Miller, the
deed, \$230.
John M. C. McCalla to McCallum and Jones,
teas of the State Savings Bank, interest
on the southern line of Piedmont avenue
from the intersection of the line of the
28x50, 80, being portion of lot 65
map of Oak Park tract, Oakland, \$800.
John M. C. McCalla to McCallum and Jones,
teas of the State Savings Bank, interest
of Alfred B. Kennan, same property as
of J. F. Whelan to G. Dover, Oakland.
A. L. and J. C. McCalla, trustees of
the First Trust Company, trustees of
Nash, same property as deed of Ann

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of Kennedy Park, Berkeley: \$10.
 of Conrad A. and Emma
 M. Nixon, E. 26th at 130th to J. and
 A. Allison way, south 300th 130, being portion of
 blocks 21 and 22, block 8, map of McGee tract.
 Berkeley: \$10.
 Anna W. Hayes to Jennie A. Young, N Howe
 trustees of Collins Trust, and
 of F. Williams to A. L. Young, Ber-
 \$750.
 Annie L. and F. H. Lockwood to J. P.
 H. M. Pond, trustees of Jessie P. Pond
 pass south of Lucien avenue 830-14, ft.
 of 8th st, thence south 140 for beginning,

Suburban Tract Berkeley: \$10.
C. F. and Marge E. Williams to A. L. Young.
Block 21, block C, map of block C, Peralta Park.
Berkeley: \$10.
Robert Elder to Elvira L. Sutton, N Sum-
mit at 1st west of Glen avenue, west 9th N.
Summit: \$20.
Lucille W. Fry to Baker & Tabor, to
the Alameda Savings Bank, N Santa
avenue 237-0 ft east of Willow st, east
N 217-0, being portions of lots 5 and 6 in
half of block 20, map of lots 5 and 6
adjoining 237-0, \$200.

Continental Building and Loan Association to Katherine D. Middleton, lot 13, block C, map of Rooney tract, Berkeley; \$10.

Baron D. Merchant to Amelia Koch, lot 17 in east half of block B, map of lands adjoining tract of Amelia Koch, except portion of lot 14, map for widening Central ave.; \$10.

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Fruitvale Office, Dawson's Drug Store, Fruitvale avenue; phone Fruitvale 77.

Merced Branch Office, Eagle Drug Store, corner Forty-seventh and East Fourteenth streets; phone Merced 33.

Pittsburg Branch—Callen's Drug Store, East Fourteenth and George streets; phone Merced 33.

Elmhurst Branch, E. W. Eckhardt, druggist, East Fourteenth street and Bay View avenue; phone Elmhurst 1478.

Richmond Branch, Edwin Pascoe, 921 McDonald ave.; phone Richmond 2381.

San Jose Agency, Geo. D. Abbott, 66 North Second street; phone San Jose 1478.

Manager Agency, Advertising, Williams, Lawrence & Cramer Co., New York—Bureau, 711 N. W. Ave., and Twenty-sixth street; Chicago—Harris Trust building. Will T. Cramer, representative.

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Small launch on west side of Park at bridge, 837 Kennedy st., E. Oakland.

FOUND—Lady's handbag on 1st ave. Owner can have same by calling at 5241 Locksley ave. and describing contents.

LOST—In Oakland, Jan. 14, a black seal purse with green lining; contained business card of Locke-Ford Co., about \$3.50 in change and a door key; reward. Return to L. P. Co., 35 Montgomery st., San Francisco.

LOST—Three diamond rings in champagne bag, probably lost at Free Market of Oakland Market; liberal reward. 633 Regent st., Oakland; phone Pied. 1234.

LOST, strayed or stolen, a white bull terrier pup; brindle marks on head and left hip; 10 months; 6 months. Return 364 20th st.; reward.

LOST—Dark brown leather suitcase; initials "W. V. T."; suitable reward. Return W. V. Tucker & Co., 14th and Webster.

LARGE white English bulldog, brindle spots, name "Tip-top"; reward. Phone Elmhurst 944.

LOST—Small-sized aluminum camera, stand on street car, Thursday. Return Hotel Adams, over Oakland Orpheum.

LOST—Jan. 16, gold ring; 2 pearls and 3 rubies; keepsake reward. Return to Mrs. W. J. Schilling, Tribune office.

LOST—Lady's hunting-race gold watch; Elgin movement; reward. 724 33rd st.

STRAVED—Light colored male collie 7 months old, name Bruce; reward. 308 Euclid ave.; phone Oakland 4798.

\$10 REWARD return of information large white bull terrier. 1502 Jackson.

MEETING NOTICES

OAKLAND LODGE OF ELKS, No. 324, meets every Friday night at Moose Hall, 14th and Clay sts. W. J. Hamlin, secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICES

CONTRACTORS ATTENTION.

Install Victor Talking Machine, water heaters, that won the gold medal at the State Fair, Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 1912. Send for booklet. Victor Combination Boiler Co., 4th and W. Streets, San Francisco. Oakland 5583. Sold by all druggists.

DRESS SUITS; Tuxedos; rental; new stock. Orpheum Tailors, 712 12th; phone Oak. 1065.

SCIENTIFIC FARMING

or 20th century farming or farming by dynamite; better crops, better quality. Send for booklet. Victor Combination Boiler Co., 4th and W. Streets, San Francisco. Oakland 5583. Sold by all druggists.

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HELP WANTED-MALE

AUTO driving, repairing, Motor Engineer, 12th School, 578 and Adeline, Oakland.

BRIGHT young salesman for crockery and household goods; references. 913 Wash.ington st.

BOY over 14 years to carry Examiner route. J. N. Mahins, 1634 Market; Oak. 5457.

LEARN, barber trade free; make money while learning. Cul. Barber College, 145 2d st., S. F.

MEN and women, learn the barber trade, wages while learning. International Barber School, 780 Howard st., San Francisco.

NEAT-appearing young man for office work in S. F.; \$30 per month. Apply Thursday, 10 a. m., Van Emon Elevator Co., 5th and Webster sts.

SHIPPING CLERK WANTED FOR LARGE INTERESTING FIRM; MUST HAVE GOOD EDUCATION; POSITION OF FIGURING CORRECTLY; STATE SALARY EXPECTED; GIVE REFERENCES; NO ATTENTION WILL BE PAID TO APPLICATION UNLESS FULL PARTICULARS ARE GIVEN AS ABOVE; THIS IS PERMANENT POSITION AND GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR ADVANCEMENT. BOX 6312, TRIBUNE.

STOCK salesman wanted, salary or commission; excellent opportunity for small investment. Address P. O. Box 53, give address, name.

STRONG boy, about 17, to learn auto repairing. 2023 Bancroft way, Berkeley.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States of good character and temperate habits; who can speak, read and write the English language. For information apply to Recruiting officer, 706 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

WE want 20 reliable real estate salesmen; 100% commission; no salary; no expense. Realty Co., 508 Syndicate Bldg., Oakland.

WANTED—For "Ben Hur," 100 men, 25 women. Apply stage door, Macdonough Theatre, Sunday, 2 p. m.

HELP WANTED-FEMALE

AAAA—

OPERATORS WANTED ON ALL PARTS OF SHIRTS. VICTOR H. ULMAN, 1415 NEW MONTGOMERY ST., SAN FRANCISCO. EASY WALKING DISTANCE FROM FERRY.

AAA—TELEPHONE OPERATORS; permanent positions for young women and girls; salaries from \$1.10 to \$3 per day; extra pay for evening and night duty; salary \$1.10 per day; white training. San Francisco Employment Office, 11th and Steiner sts., San Francisco; phone West 7585; open week days, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

ATTENTION—LEARN HAIRDRESSING; FAMOUS FRANK P. Y. SYSTEM; enroll now. CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF HAIRDRESSING, 410 14TH ST., Smith Bros. Bldg., Oakland, second floor.

AT the Success Employment Agency, 411 15th st., near Franklin—Wanted, cooks, waitresses, chambermaids, house girls; best wages. Phone Oakland 737.

AA—LADIES and girls to tint pillow tops at home; \$6 to \$80 per doz.; experience unnecessary. Send for color card. Mrs. W. J. Schilling, Tribune office, 10-14 p. m.

A RELIABLE lady to take care of elderly lady; good home, small monthly pay. 1483 9th ave.

AA—EUREKA Emp. Agency, 1131 Wash. Nurse girl, \$25; girls general housework.

A GIRL for general housework. Phone Oakland 8861.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nelson, Success Employment Agency, 1512 Broadway; phone Oakland 1945, A. 5857.

COMPETENT help with good references; male and female. 327 Jefferson; phone Oakland 4754. Home A-3359.

CAPABLE girl for general housework; wages, wash, \$30; without, \$25. 1812 San Jose ave., Alameda.

COMPETENT girl wanted for cooking and housework; good wages; references required. Call 3225 Fruitvale avenue.

COMPETENT girl for cooking and general housework; \$30. 430 28th st.

DESIRABLE positions for young women. Employment Dept., Y. W. C. A., 14th and Castro.

EXPERIENCED cracker packers. Call Cracker Co., Park ave. and Watts st., Emeryville.

GIRL wanted for cooking and downstairs work; no washing; wages \$40; German or Swedish preferred; 1811 11th ave., corner of E. 11th; Fruitvale or Sinal-tuck ave. car.

GIRL for general housework, \$30. Call mornings, 824 Alton ave.

GIRL with light housework and children; \$15 per week. 2242 22d st.

LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSING AND BEAUTY CULTURE; INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTIONS; THOROUGHLY TAUGHT; OAKLAND COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 562 18TH ST.

MALE COOK and helper, white, 300 country; ration for institute, nurses and chambermaids. Woman's Emp. Ex., 1512 Broadway; phone Oakland 3389.

RELIABLE young woman for general housework; small family. Apply 735 Kingston ave.

RELIABLE young girl for plain cooking and housework by February 1. Call morning, 1243 Bay st.; phone Ala. 113.

SCHOOL girl for light housework; 3 in family; small wages; good home. 862 22d st.

TWO young ladies to address envelopes; must be good writers. Apply S. M. Friedman Co.

WANTED—Young lady of neat appearance as stenographer in real estate office. Apply at 1216 Broadway, Berkeley, bet. 10 and 12 a. m., Sunday.

WANTED—A reliable girl; general housework; cooking; small family; references. Call 1682 Grand ave.; phone Pied. 2489.

WANTED—Girl to help with housework and take care of children. Phone Piedmont 1232.

YOUNG lady wanted for evening work in store; steady position. Apply at once, 3979 Piedmont ave.

YOUNG girl, 15 to 18 years, for light housework; good home, small wages. Call Saturday, 10 to 2, 1394 11th st.

YOUNG lady to do typewriting or 2 days each week; permanent. Address Box 8946, Tribune, Berkeley.

YOUNG girl to learn dressmaking; paid while learning. Box 253, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED

MALE

A YOUNG MAN OF 24, GOOD EDUCATION AND EXECUTIVE ABILITY ALONG COMMERCIAL LINES, WISHES SEVERAL HOURS SPECIAL WORK EVENINGS. ADDRESS BOX 6460, TRIBUNE.

AN AI bookkeeper wants small set books to keep by month; good at straightening out and re-arranging; long experience. Phone bookkeeper, Lakeside 880.

A FIRST-CLASS Chinese cook wishes position in boarding house; best references. Address Kong, care of The Sing Sing, 1010 10th St., Oakland.

AT LIBERTY, a moving-picture operator, with 1000 ft. film, can be seen at reference. M. C. R. Wallace, 627 11th st., Oakland.

A YOUNG man wishes place to work for room and board while attending school. Address 208 12th st., or phone Oakland 244.

A MIDDLE-AGED German, sober and reliable, wishes position of any kind; very handy. Apply 424 8th st.

A GOOD school boy wishes position. Apply 212 5th st.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

MALE—Continued

MIDDLE-AGED man wants position of trust; light work; have some money; good references. Box 6352, Tribune.

A JAPANESE first-class cook wants position in nice family; best ref. Harry, 234 26th St., Oakland.

A JAPANESE boy wishes position doing housework in small family. Box 6381, Tribune.

A FIRST-CLASS Japanese cook and laundry worker wants position in very quiet family. Write C. C., Box 4747, Tribune.

BOOKKEEPER, ACCOUNTANT, expert, wants small sets books to keep; 15 yrs. experience; best ref.; books audited and straightened out; systems installed; stenographic and typewriting work done; prices reasonable. Phone Oakland 159; Uman.

CARPENTER wants work; AI repairer or alteration hand. 1334 Myrtle st.; phone Oakland 6047.

CHINESE cook wishes position in boarding house. Ah Lee, 311 5th st., Oakland.

CHINESE cook wants place as cook in private family or boarding-house. Address 264 5th st.; phone Oakland 1435.

FIRST-CLASS cement finisher wants position finishing, or foreman; contract or piece work. Address 1216 Broadway, Oakland 8735.

HYMER'S EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—We are headquarters for help. 324 Broadway; phone Oakland 2160.

MIDDLE-AGED man, thoroughly understanding of mechanical and electrical work, as driver for wholesale or retail place; can furnish best references. Ad. Box 5315, Tribune.

POSITION of trust by middle-aged man; 15 years' exp. in fruit and bees; 2 years' bookkeeping; best references. Box 6335, Tribune.

RESIDENT salesmen and solicitor with best of references, is open for engagement. Call reliable firm. Box 6315, Tribune.

SUPERINTENDENT or foreman, able draughtsman and designer, wishes position with building contracting firm. Box 6327, Tribune.

SITUATION wanted by cook; private house or boarding house; best ref. from banker's home. Box 6348, Tribune.

Column 8

ROOMS AND BOARD

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A—HARPER HARMONY, an ideal home for business men and families. 11th and 12th sts. Phone Oakland 5439.
BOARD and room, or day board; every thing new; good home cooking; private family. Phone 1251 12th st.
BOARD and room; reasonable rates. 1221 12th st. Phone 1251 12th st.
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FOR men, rooms and sleeping porch; home cooking; convenient to S. P. and Key Route. 2673 Webster st.; Tel. Oak 7118.
FRONT bedroom, with board, in private family. Inquire at 380 West st. Phone 1251 12th st.
GOOD HOME and best care for invalid gentlemen or lady; reasonable. 1251 12th st. Phone 1251 12th st.
LARGE sunny front room, with board, for 2 young men; also private bath and phone; also with washing and mending done; very reasonable; on car line, one block from local 787 8th st.
LARGE sunny room with board in pretty private home. Young couple desired. 459 Hawthorne st., at 31st and Tele. 1251 12th st.
LARGE sunny room with private bath; also single room with running water. 1251 12th st.
NEWLY furnished bedroom; house; pleasant rooms; home cooking; reasonable rates. 175 14th st.
ROOM and board for 1 in private family; reasonable. 247 11th ave.
ROOM and board, private family, suitable for 1 or 2 men; reasonable. 5415 Grove.
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ROOMS in large home; steam heat, home cooking. 1535 Allee st.
SUNNY front room and board in private family. Phone 1251 12th st.
TABLE BOARD; private French family; also 2 rooms; 23d and Telegraph. Box 418, Tribune.
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SUNNY sitting-room and bedroom, with board, in quiet home; fireplace if possible; give particulars. Box 243, Tribune.
YOUNG gentleman wants board and room in private family or first-class boarding house in Oakland or Alameda; fashionable district preferred; state terms. Box 2, Tribune, San Francisco.
YOUNG couple want room and board in pleasant sunny private home. Reply today to Box 213, Tribune.
YOUNG lady wishes board and room, close in. Box 232, Tribune.
CHILDREN BOARDED
A REPUTED, educated family with 2 small children to board and care for; will be given best of care. Box 3948, Tribune.
A GOOD home and fine board for 1 or 2 children; best references. Box 6338, Tribune.
A PLEASANT home for children; large, sunny yard; modern. Pled. 5471.
CHILDREN well cared for; large grounds, good home. 2011 Lisco-38th ave., Fruitvale.
FRENCH lady would board and care for 2 children over 2 years old. 678 Valjevo st., near San Pablo ave., Oakland.
SELECT HOME—Children carefully trained; music if desired. 828 12th st., near West st.
HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS
A—SUNNY, front, connecting, outside rooms; running water, gas oven, bath, phone, yard, laundry; \$2 to \$4 per week; cars and S. F. trains. 4069 B. 14th st., Linden; 1306 Brush, cor. 15th.
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A FIRST-CLASS apt., reasonable; close to K. R. 2415 San Pablo ave.
A—THREE and 5 furnished rooms for sleep; bath; gas; \$30 6th cor. door open.
AKSARBEN—Sunny hippy, suite; gas range, bath and phone. 1833 Grove st.
FURNISHED for housekeeping, bedroom, kitchen and bath; gas, sink and stove; 727 Jackson st.; apply back entrance.
FRONT rooms, very desirable; range, bath, laundry. 2142 8th ave.; Merritt 3019.
LARGE new furnished 2-room apt. and bath; modern sunny front; \$15.00 week. 6019 Shattuck ave., near 9th, Oakland.
MODERN 3 rooms; fireplace, laundry; \$16. 815 38th, near Grove Key Route.
ONE large sunny front room with alcove kitchen; running water, gas and bath; newly furnished. 172 5th st.
SUITE of 2 sunny housekeeping rooms. 828 14th st. Phone 1251 12th st.
THREE furnished housekeeping rooms; large yard and bath; rent \$15 per month. 594 59th street.
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A—Maryland Apartments. Most reasonable of modern apt. houses; 2-room apts., \$25 up; 3-room apts., \$30 up; all elegantly furnished; steam heat, fireplaces, gas, bath, etc. Phone 1251 12th st.
A—INSPECT the elaborate appointments of the Key Route Inn, 22d and Broadway; refined family hotel, excellent meals, large lobby, all S. F. trains every 15 minutes at our door; cost less than keeping home. Phone Oakland 5924.
A—THE BAUER. Oakland's newest hotel; 15th st. hotel service. 19th-Broadway; Rainier Kramer manager.
A—Landers Apt. 250 24th st. Sunny, modern, 2-room apt., every convenience, nicely furnished; very reasonable; central.
A BEAUTIFUL NEW APARTMENT. Very choice location, near Hotel Oakland; finest most homes in Oakland; a room; hardwood floors, steam heat, vacuum cleaning, etc. 1420 Jackson St.
A THREE-ROOM newly furnished apartment; separate bath, toilet and entrance, all modern; rent \$15, with water. 808 8th st.
LET. 2 large sunny front rooms. The Montrose. 508 8th st.
BUENA VISTA. Brush, near 18th—Finely furnished 2-room apts.; reasonable. Central.
Casa Rosa Apartments
Rates \$25.00 up; furnished complete; 40-gallon chemical fire engine installed; 4 exits. 1213 Market st., off 16th st.; phone Oakland 4164.
Empress Apartments
2323 Broadway, at Twenty-third. 1-2-3 rooms, furnished, every convenience.
FREDERICK APARTMENTS
Choose your apartment. Frederick Apts., 415, near Telegraph ave. Key Route etc.; 2-3 up, furn. Piedmont 3502.

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APARTMENTS TO LET

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Just Opened
Si Nido Apartments
MADISON, NEAR LAKE ST.
Two, three and four-room apartments with bath and sleeping porch, completely and partially furnished; steam heat, elevator, phone, etc., also, also.
SPECIAL FEATURES
Floor-to-ceiling cabinets, elevated over ranges, while enamel kitchens and baths, SUN COURT and FORMAL GARDENS; no other apartments, no dark halls; vacuum cleaning system.
RATES BEST OFFERED IN OAKLAND FOR VALUE RECEIVED.
The New Lakeside Apartments
LAKE AND MADISON STS.
31st OPENING
In exclusive residential district, with a magnificent view of Lake Merritt and Berkeley hills; large rooms; every modern convenience; hardwood floors, steam heat, individual phone service; close to cars and ferry transportation.
ALSO
4-room suites, de luxe, with individual service.
150 Lake; phone Lakeside 1103.
AA—THE NEW OWEN APARTMENTS.
227 A ST. ST. ALBANY STS.
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.
Concrete building, strictly fireproof, exclusive residential district, 2, 3 and 4-room apts., equipped with gas, electric heat, hot water, elevator, private phones, vacuum cleaning system, billiard room, billiard table, unobstructed frontage on Lake Merritt; close to Grand ave. car. Rates from \$2.50 up.
BURCHARD
213 Broadway.
Completely and nicely furnished; 3 rooms; steam heat; private bath.
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LARGE, new, furnished 2-room apt. bath, modern, sunny front; \$17.50 mo. 6019 Shattuck ave., near 9th, Oakland.
Madison Park 9th and Oak sts.; Oakland's established home of comfort. Hotel service; close to S. P. and Key Route; excellent business center.
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HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED
BUNGALOW wanted; must be modern; good neighborhood; easy terms. Box 812, Tribune.
TWO young ladies wish large room and use of kitchen for breakfast, near 4th st. Key Route. Box 81, Tribune, S. F.
WANTED—Furn. bungalow, 5 or 6 rooms, with large living room, located near Key Route or S. F. trains; Claremont section preferred; must be furnished with car and S. F. trains. 4069 B. 14th st., Linden; 1306 Brush, cor. 15th.
WANTED—3-room furnished cottage in Oakland or Berkeley. P. O. Box 812, Mill Valley, Cal.
WANTED—A 4-room bungalow or cottage; must be close in; state rent. Box 1151, Tribune.
STORES AND OFFICES
A NICE large store, good location; suitable for any business; must be furnished with free. Phone Piedmont 1422.
DESK-SPACE and window, 15 feet; Broadway, near 16th st.; rent \$60 month. Box 6317, Tribune.
SEPARATE SPACE, 16x20, near 18th and Telegraph; light, phone. Box 5394, Tribune.
STORES for rent at 16th and Grove sts. Owner, room 54, at 812 Bdw., phone Oak 2652.
FOR RENT. MISCELLANEOUS
LOT 50x130, adjoining 1847 E. 27th st. Owner, 1367 E. 28th st.
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GERMAN herb capsules; treatments for women; no operation; cure guaranteed. 1832 14th st. Phone 1251 12th st.
LADIES—Turkish, medicated baths; lady attendants; gent's dept.; chiropodist; Merritt Baths, 5th and Franklin.
PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY
DR. J. A. ARDENY, physician and surgeon—Diseases of women and men; chronic and nervous diseases. Room 96, Backus Bldg., 14th and Broadway, 2 to 4 and 6 to 7 p. m.; Sunday 2 to 4.
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DOMESTIC VACUUM CLEANER CO. new model just arrived; lightning sell; temporary office 1420 Filbert st.; Oakland 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
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WILL DELIVER 12 gallons or less fresh milk daily, night or morning. Address Box 478, Upper Fruitvale.
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JAS. HENYERHERRY does all kinds of draying, office, 428 4th st., at 27th, Oakland 24, A 1584; res. Oak. 4050, A 2716.**

Column 10

REAL ESTATE

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Alameda County Improvement Co., Inc.
\$2000—Alameda, up-to-date 5-room bungalow, near Key Route and one block to Grove st.; \$300 cash and one lot, balance like rent.
\$10,000—10-room house in Berkeley, near the Claremont Hotel; 5 bedrooms, 2 sleeping porches, 2 baths, servants' quarters, turn-out garage, basement, commanding marine view. This is a real bargain; half cash, balance at 6%.
\$3500—Store and flats above, right in the heart of Berkeley's manufacturing center; store and 3 rooms below and 5 rooms above; 1000 sq. ft. contact on the rear of lot, also small stable. This is the only property on San Pablo ave., bet. 40th st. and the city limits, with water, gas, electric, communications, and is a winner for a small manufacturer. Lot \$15,500, \$3500 cash, balance long term.
Alameda County Improvement Co., Inc.
512 BROADWAY, ROOMS 6-7, 8, 9. Phone Oakland 2061.
\$750
32 1/2 x 120
I am offering for a few days this lot on an improved street, surrounded by new and modern improvements and only one block from the junction of Broadway, College avenue and Clifton street, in a convenient and desirable part of Claremont.
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I make loans on real estate. Money on hand at all times for any-sized loan.
J. V. AUGUST, real estate broker, 1422-24 Broadway, at 14th st. (Syndicate Building).
FOR SALE by owner, story and a half, 6 rooms and sleeping porch; hardwood floors, electric lights, gas range, sideboard, large light kitchen, laundry with cement tubs; lot 49x100, driveway; if \$800 paid down the balance \$3500, or more per month, including interest.
A new, modern 5-room bungalow with stone front and large porch; hardwood floors, electric lights, gas range, sideboard, cement tubs; on the north side of 50th st., near Shafter ave.; terms \$350 down, the balance \$3150 in monthly payments of \$100 each, including interest.
See Lindberg, owner, 1542 Broadway, Oakland; phone Oakland 1023, or res. phone Piedmont 5341.
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Column 11

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A SNAP IN RICHMOND.
Two lots on 17th st., 2 blocks from S. P. depot and Macdonald ave.; \$500 cash takes them if you hurry. Box 533, Tribune.
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TWO SNAPS, each \$1000 sacrifice, 7 rms., lot 50x130, Regent st., 9 rms., lot 42x120, Berkeley, Cal. 10th and 11th sts., terms; both must be sold. L. W. Jefferson, 216 Oak Blk. Sav. Bldg., Oakland.
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A 5-room house, all in good condition; a beautiful terrace; lot 40x120; fine lawn, flowers and palms; gas and water; half block from S. P. and near Key Route and cars, between 16th and 18th sts. V. A. August, real estate broker, 1422-24 Broadway, at 14th st. Write Box 6848, Tribune.
AA—\$450 CASH, balance \$35 monthly, including interest 8 per cent; \$4800; fine 2-room bungalow; everything up-to-date; Claremont district. Owner, Piedmont 5277, mornings or evenings.
A BARGAIN—New, modern bungalow; lot 36x150; 5 rooms; bath, laundry, basement, electric range, etc.; terms, inquire, bet. 8 and 5, 535 Chestnut st.; phone Piedmont 3622.
A FURNISHED or unfurnished elegant new home in Linda Vista; every modern convenience. Phone Piedmont 5618.
BRAND new beautiful residence of 7 rooms; all modern; electric range, etc.; reasonable; will take lots as part payment; 534 Alva Vista; Lake Grand ave., bet. 8 and 10, near 12th and 14th sts.; now being completed; west side of Clark, north of Washington. Feet Bros., 2024 Filbert ave.; phone Piedmont 1341 after 6 p. m.
FOURTH AVE. TERRACE HOME.
1 1/2-story bungalow of 6 rooms, sleeping porch, built-in refrigerator, electric range, built-in bookcase, window seat and brick mantle, hardwood floors and beam ceiling; lot 40x120, near 12th and 14th sts.; 125; near 2 car lines and school; \$4500; terms; would consider well-located lot as part payment. 4002 Ardley ave., Fourth Ave. Terrace, Berkeley 2551.
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SOCIETY PLANS CELEBRATION OF TWELFTH ANNIVERSARY



MRS. ADELAIDE ENCARNACAO, GRAND PRESIDENT OF THE PORTUGUESE SOCIETY QUEEN ST. ISABELLA.—Nelle W. Stone Photo.

In honor of the twelfth anniversary of the supreme council, Portuguese Society of Queen St. Isabella, a ball will be given Wednesday evening in Ebell hall, Fourteenth and Harrison streets. The guests will be received by the grand officers and directors of the lodge, which has ninety-three councils in the United States, with a membership of 7000.

The annual affair is considered one of the most important in the calendar of that fraternity, and will be attended by the representatives of the various branches of the order. About 1000 tickets are in the possession of the members, who report that they are being distributed rapidly.

The ball committee is headed by Mrs. Adelaide Encarnacao, president; Mrs. Rosa G. Sarmento, vice-president; Miss Maria A. L. Lemos, secretary; Mrs. Rita A. Rogers, treasurer, and Mrs. Isabel G. Luiz.

WOULD ERECT BIG ARCHES OF LIGHT

Downtown Improvement Club Plans to Illuminate Thoroughfares.

In the belief that light is an incentive to attract crowds during the evening, the members of the Downtown Improvement Club at their meeting in Hotel Crellin last evening discussed a proposition to light Broadway and Washington streets and later Clay and Franklin streets from Twelfth to the waterfront with electrical arches. A committee was appointed to confer with the gas and electric companies to get the lowest rates, to confer with the city commissioners, and also with the Board of Supervisors, the latter with a view of having the county buildings outlined in electric lights that their location may be made known to arrivals on the First, Third and Seventh street trains.

This committee, consisting of W. J. Culligan, A. R. Derge, Ed. E. Hesse, E. G. Ryker, E. C. Elmer and co-officer President Louis Aber, will report at the next meeting, the first Thursday in February. In the meantime estimates on the cost of arches and other designs will be secured.

A committee consisting of E. E. Hesse, E. C. Kayser and S. Ehrlich were appointed to consider the feasibility of a get-acquainted dinner to be given in the near future and to consult with members as to individual ideas concerning same.

E. C. Kayser of the committee to the Civic Association reported that the work of that organization was practically at an end so far as the present program was concerned and that as a result of their work Alameda county would next year unquestionably have the lowest tax rate of any county in the State, the principal stumbling block to that end being the taking over of the Spring Valley Water company by San Francisco, as if it was so taken over, as municipal property, it could not be assessed, and that would lower the assessable property considerably. Assessments throughout the county have been equalized and much good accomplished by the committee.

\$30 FOR CIGARS; \$35 FOR HIS HOUSEHOLD

John B. Sankey, a railroad engineer, told Superior Judge T. W. Harris that he had been accustomed to spending \$30 per month on cigars and that he gave his wife, Mrs. Florence Sankey, \$35 to pay her household expenses under court order. The matter was in court yesterday afternoon on trial for a permanent order. As a result of the testimony Judge Harris allowed Mrs. Sankey \$30 a month. Mrs. Sankey accused her husband of cruelty in her suit.

Suit for divorce was also brought by Arthur Slutman against Frank E. Slutman on the grounds of alleged desertion. The same grounds were given in the complaint of Maude M. Brown against Harry Brown.

ELECTRIC TRAIN KILLS WOMAN

Mrs. M. M. Horn, Aged 70 Years, Dies While on Way to Receiving Hospital.

Mrs. M. M. Horn, 70 years of age, was killed last night when she was run down by a Southern Pacific electric train at Seventh and Chester streets. The aged woman was on her way to her home, 1527 Eighth street, where she lived with Mrs. Ellen Garrison, mother of County Auditor B. F. Garrison, when the accident occurred.

As Mrs. Horn started across the tracks the engineer sounded his whistle, but the woman either became confused or did not hear him. She was thrown from the tracks, and in falling sustained a fracture of the skull and internal injuries. She died while being taken to the receiving hospital.

E. McCarthy, the motorman of the train, surrendered himself to the police, and has been booked on a charge of manslaughter. McCarthy was released on his own recognizance, pending the finding of the coroner's jury.

Mrs. Horn was a widow. She had lived in West Oakland for many years with Mrs. Garrison.

COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING. ALAMEDA, Jan. 17.—The council committee will meet in regular session tonight to go over the business coming before the council meeting next Tuesday night. At the meeting Tuesday night Mayor Hoy will submit his report of the achievements of his administration. The mayor's term does not expire until April, but the report is coincident with his announcement yesterday that he would not be a candidate for mayor again.



When you have so far lost control of your nerves that you "fly to pieces" over the least little noise or excitement, it is high time to give your nerves a rest and to build up your blood. The dawn look, the sunken eyes, the drooping of the head, the loss in weight, are plain signs that the nerves and body are being poorly nourished.

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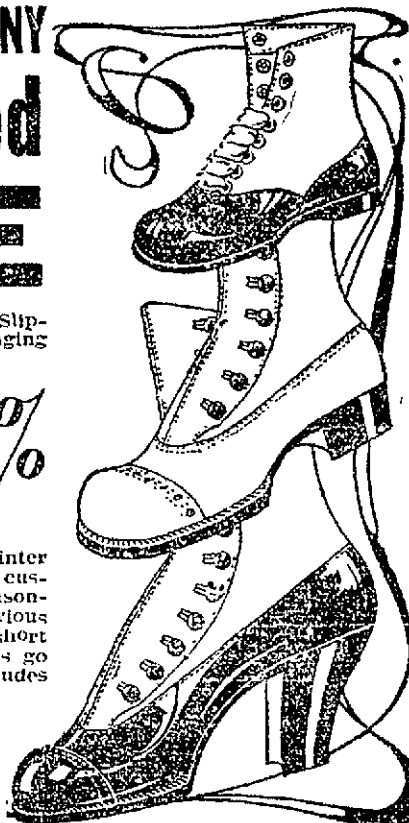
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How to Wrap Them Is Puzzle to the Postmaster-General.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The mailing of babies by parcel post is a real infant industry which Postmaster-General Hitchcock is asked to foster. In the circumstances of his bachelorhood, Hitchcock is

considering seriously the calling into consultation of experts in the transportation of babies as a letter which he received today presents to him a mail problem with which he is quite unfamiliar. To add to his embarrassment the letter contains a note of genuine pathos which appeals strongly to the Postmaster-General. This is the letter, just as it was phrased and punctuated:

"Postmaster-General, Washington, D. C.

"Sir—I have been corresponding with a party in Pa. about getting a baby to raise (our home being without one). May I ask you what specific relations to use in wrapping so it (baby) would comply with regulations and be allowed shipment by Parcel Post, as the express companies are too rough in handling. Yours (signed)

The name signed to the letter is withheld at the request of Hitchcock. As babies, in the opinion of the Post-

master-General, do not fall within the category of bees and bugs—the only live things that may be transported by mail, he is apprehensive he may not be of assistance to his correspondent.

CORN SYRUP AGAIN TASTED BY COURTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The fight before federal and state pure food officials over the right of the Corn Products Company of 30 Broadway, New York, to label one of its products as a corn syrup rather than "glucose" was renewed today before the Supreme Court.

The point in issue was the constitutionality of the Wisconsin pure food law under which two grocers in that state were fined for selling the company's corn syrup "not labeled in accordance with the state law."

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strand at a time. The effect is amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health. Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that all you surely can have beautiful hair and lots of it if you will just try a little Danderine. —Advertisement

AT 105 WOMAN DECIDES TO WED

Granddaughter Says "No" to Her Ardent Swain of 80 Years.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 17.—Although she became a legal dependent Wednesday when the Superior Court appointed her granddaughter as her guardian, Marcelina Elizalde, the oldest woman in Los Angeles, concurred yesterday in an application for a marriage license for herself and Pleasant Leon, aged 80. The license was issued. Mrs. Elizalde is 105 years old. Leon said today he would attempt to have the court's order of guardianship set aside so the wedding might take place. Mrs. Elizalde is reputed to be wealthy. Mrs. Claudia Lugo, her granddaughter and legal guardian, says she will frustrate all wedding plans. Mrs. Elizalde refuses to recognize her as guardian.

ARMY MAN DIES. PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 17.—Major Henry Fletcher Kendall, U. S. A., retired, died at his home in this city yesterday of sarcoma. He was 57, a veteran of the Spanish-American war.

ILL 20 YEARS; THEN ENDS LIFE

Retired Merchant Writes Farewell Note and Turns on the Gas.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—"Give a kiss to the children for me and forgive me, as I know God will forgive me." With this message Frank Baldochi, 60 years old, a retired merchant, who has been ill for the last 20 years, lay down to die late last night. His body was found this morning by his cousin, A. Baldochi, in the home at 702 Clement street. Baldochi had turned on the gas after carefully stuffing the keyhole and writing a short note. He is survived by a wife and five children.

HURT IN COLLISION. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—G. Borna, of 19 Treta avenue, was injured in a collision between his wagon and an auto truck at Seventeenth and Union streets at 6:30 a. m. today. Borna was driving along Seventeenth street when, at the crossing, the machine belonging to the Western Fuel Company struck his wagon and threw him heavily to the pavement. He received severe wounds of the body, a fractured arm and a lacerated scalp.

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